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BRITISH CABINET CHANGES MALCOLM MACDONALD AT DOMINIONS OFFICE J. H. THOMAS TAKES OVER THE COLONIES

London, To-day.

The following Cabinet changes are announced:—

Lord Privy Seal: Lord Halifax;

Secretary for the Dominions: Mr. Malcolm Macdonald;

Secretary for War: Mr. A. Duff-Cooper.

Mr. W. S. Morrison has been appointed Financial Secretary to the Treasury.

MAUNA LOA IN ERUPTION

EARTHQUAKE AND TIDAL WAVE

Hilo, Hawaii, To-day.

The 20,000 inhabitants of Hilo are fearfully watching the approach of a stream of lava 13 miles long from the volcano Mauna Loa, an eruption of which was followed by an earthquake and tidal wave. A red glow is visible from all over the island, and scientists are hurriedly organising expeditions to the peak to locate the point of eruption. — Reuter.

KING OF GREECE DETAINED

Held Up By Bad Weather

— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL

Athens, To-day. Stormy weather prevented King George II from sailing from Brindisi yesterday as planned, according to a statement issued by the Admiralty yesterday. The monarch embarked on the cruiser Hellis at the scheduled time, but the vessel was unable to leave harbour on account of the high seas. — Trans-Ocean Service.

LIONS LOOSE IN VILLAGE

Butcher Torn To Pieces In France

— CHINA MAIL — SPECIAL

Paris, To-day. Exciting scenes occurred yesterday at the little village of Bagnolles-sur-Ceze, where two lions escaped from a travelling circus and killed one person before they were finally shot after a thrilling hunt in which the entire male population of the village took part.

The lions broke loose during the night and, after killing a horse, hid in a thicket just outside the village. When the village butcher and his assistant passed by the spot shortly after daybreak the two beasts sprang forward and tore the butcher to pieces, while his assistant succeeded in fleeing and giving the alarm. — Trans-Ocean Service.

WEATHER REPORT

Fresh north-easterly winds, fair, probably cooler later. In the forecast for to-day, as issued this morning by the Royal Observatory.

London, Later: The exchange of offices between Mr. J. H. Thomas and Mr. Malcolm Macdonald has occasioned surprise in political circles. It is felt by the body of Conservative opinion that Mr. Thomas has not been too popular with the Dominions and should hold another office.

The fact that the Dominions Office is always regarded as a senior post means that a seat in Parliament will have to be found for Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, who may possibly be put up for the by-election for the combined Scottish Universities. (Continued on Page 12)

TO-DAY'S RACE CLASSIC

Manchester November Handicap

London, To-day.

The following are alterations to the probable starters for the Manchester November Handicap, which will be run this afternoon: R. B. Bennett (Weston), Astyanax (Harry Beasley), Thraxton (Rickaby), Romey (Sirett), Mistral (Dimes), Solerin (Richardson), Pegomas (Ryan), Coup-de-Bot (Barber), London Fog (Cordell), Ozarowitz, St. Boswell's, British Quota and Phyllon have been scratched. — Reuter.

"ALL BLACKS" MAKE CHANGES

Hore Replaces Pepper At Forward

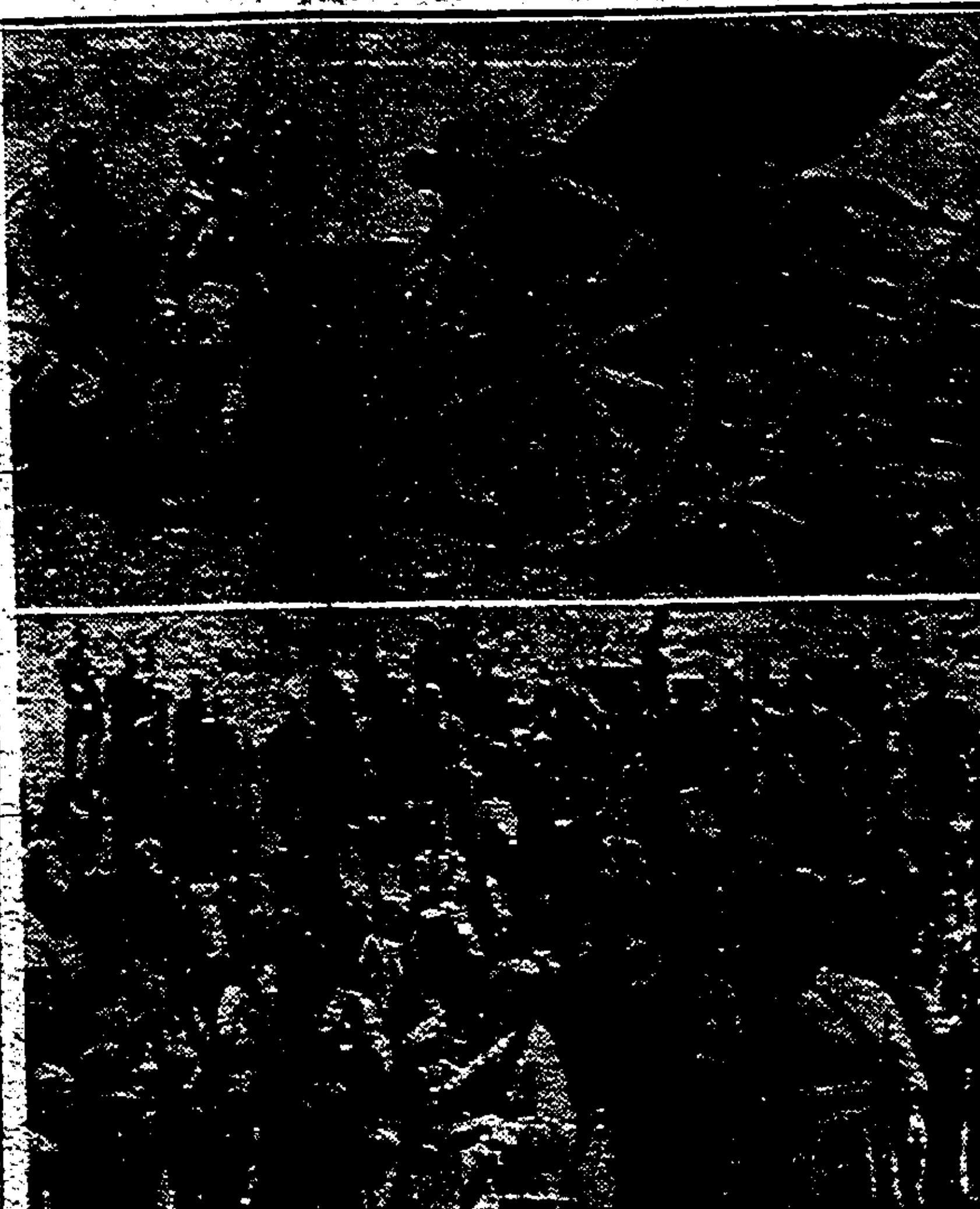
London, To-day.

The All-Blacks have made several changes in their team to meet Scotland and this afternoon in the first game of the International rugby series, at Murrayfield. Hore has replaced Pepper at forward, while Tindall has been dropped from the five-eighths.

There is a possibility that Lambourn, one of the forwards, may not be able to play owing to mumps, and in this case Pepper will substitute. — Reuter.

NEW MILITARY ATTACHE FOR TOKYO

London, To-day. Major-General F. S. G. Fergus, D.S.O., R.E., Deputy Military Secretary to the War Office since 1931, has been appointed Military Attache to the British Embassy in Tokyo in succession to Colonel Fergus, who left on May 5, 1935. — Reuter.



At the top in Italian field pass in position on a hill near Adams and below are Italian, or native Britons, who had the drive that resulted in the city's capture.

NEW BATHS FOR AMERICA

Construction To Be Suspended Temporarily

Warm Springs, Georgia, To-day. President Roosevelt informed a press conference yesterday that the construction of the new bathings allowed under the existing treaties would be temporarily suspended. The naval personnel would gradually be increased to 100,000. — Reuter.

BRITISH SUPPORT OF FRANC

Foreign Exchange Quietens Down

DEVALUATION OF GUILDER

London, To-day. The foreign exchange market quietened down yesterday owing to the energetic intervention of British control in support of the franc. Nevertheless, underlying nervousness was most apparent.

Paris estimates that the Bank of France lost gold valued at 1,200,000,000 francs during the week ended November 22, while Amsterdam believes that the Netherlands Bank lost between five and 10 million guilders worth of gold to America on Thursday and yesterday.

Despite the Amsterdam assertions to the contrary, London feels that the guilder is bound to follow in the wake of the franc should the latter be devalued, but it is generally felt that the franc with M. Laval will survive the present crisis. — Reuter.

KING'S CHRISTMAS-DAY MESSAGE TO EMPIRE

London, To-day. His Majesty the King will broadcast on Christmas Day a message to the peoples of the Empire for the fourth year in succession. An announcement of His Majesty's broadcast by the British Broadcasting Corporation states that, according to the present arrangements, the King will speak from Sandringham at 3 p.m. on December 25. — British Wireless Service.

EXHIBITION OF CHINESE ART

Newspaper Luncheon At Academy

3,000 YEARS COVERED

London, To-day.

All the editors of the London papers and the correspondents of the chief provincial and foreign papers were entertained to luncheon yesterday at the Royal Academy in anticipation of the opening of the Chinese Art Exhibition on Thursday next.

Sir William Llewellyn, President of the Royal Academy, described the comprehensive nature of the exhibition, covering 3,000 years of Chinese art. He hoped the newspapers would succeed in spreading among the public a more comprehensive knowledge of Chinese art, and would help them to appreciate the wonderful display.

He paid a glowing tribute to Dr. T. Cheng and Mr. Laurence Bayon, and said this was the first opportunity of really appreciating the imaginative, creative and artistic genius of the Chinese. Chinese art was as alive to-day as ever.

COLOURS COMBINED

Mr. Leigh Ashton described the principles of the arrangement of the exhibition, in which colours had been combined in order to emphasise the particular beauty of each piece.

Mr. Cheng paid a tribute to the helpfulness of the Academy authorities and emphasised that everything in connection with the exhibition, from the packing of the objects to the decorations, was an art which all Chinese, besides foreigners, highly appreciated. — Reuter.

C-INC. RETURNING TO COLONY NEXT TUESDAY

His Excellency Sir Frederic Charles Denyer, K.C.B., C.B.E., Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, is expected back in the Colony next Tuesday when his flagship, H.M.S. Kent, returns after the completion of her annual summer exercises in northern waters.

DISAPPOINTMENT IN ROME

POINTED REFERENCE TO THE FAR EAST

FRANCE IGNORES DIRECT QUESTION

London, To-day.

The British reply to the Italian protest against sanctions testifies to the constant anxiety that Geneva carried out its duties in a spirit of impartiality and conceded the utmost possible weight to the legitimate interests of Italy. The British Government therefore feels that no useful purpose would be served by re-opening a discussion of the question raised in the Italian note.

Strong as were the feelings of friendship towards Italy, the United Kingdom Government felt bound to assent to the League decisions and accept the inevitable consequences. The note expresses anxiety to facilitate, as a member of the League, the earliest possible settlement of the dispute, and adds that the Government in subscribing to the League Covenant, did not abandon or renounce its own free sovereign judgment but undertook to exercise it in accordance with the obligations of the Covenant. No other attitude was open to them, and they naturally desire to see the Italian Government place a similar construction on their adherence to the Covenant.

The French note in reply to the Italian protest against sanctions states that despite her sentiments of friendship towards Italy, it was not in the power of the French Government to reject the League findings.

To this is added the statement of the Government would compromise the future possibility of the application of the provisions constituting the essential element of collective security. Until a settlement of the conflict ends the measures prescribed by the Covenant, none of the sanctions concerning Italy can be regarded as a hostile act.

The note renews the hope of an early settlement of the conflict, but does not answer Italy's direct question as regards how the French Government intends to act regarding the coercive measures proposed against Italy, which is generally regarded as aimed at splitting the sanctionist countries. — Reuter.

FEETINIST QUESTION

Rome: The Italians are disappointed at the uncompromising tone of the British reply, but the note is virtually what was expected. It is pointed out that Italy has at least gained the point that the replies should not be collective, and that each Government takes its own responsibility for the application of sanctions. (Continued from Page 1)

ITALIAN FORCE ROUTED

Action In Makalle Area

Addis Ababa, To-day. A communique claims that an Italian force marching from Makalle in a north-westerly direction yesterday was severely defeated. It says that the Ethiopian troops suddenly left their places of concealment among the boulders and shrubs and fighting followed. The Italian commander and a number of his troops were killed, and the rest fled in disorder towards Agale. — Reuter.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, To-day. The total amount applied for in tenders for \$45,000,000 treasury bills was \$61,745,000. The average rate per cent for bills at three months was 10/9.99, as against 10/9.99 a week ago. — British Wireless Service.

BRITAIN'S REPLY TO ITALY

Full Particulars Of British Note

ALL RELEASE FACTORS REVIEWED

London, To-day.

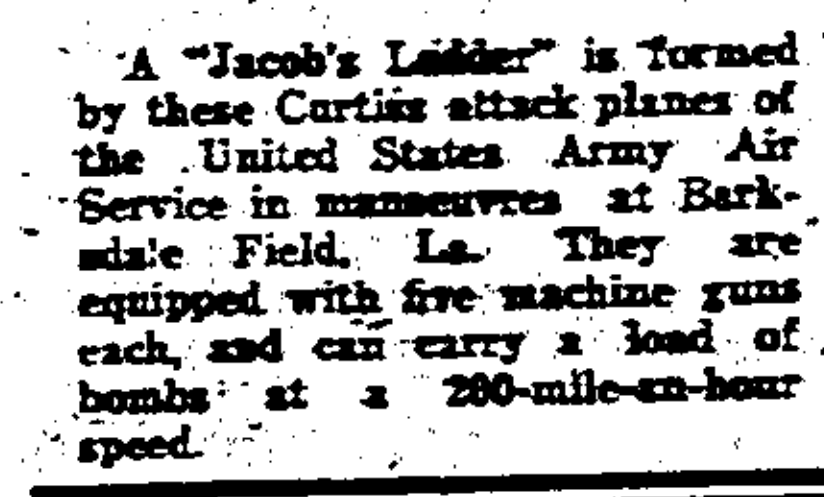
The British note sent to the Italian Ambassador in London yesterday refers to the Italian note of November 11, in which the Italian Government thought it to draw attention to the responsibility entailed by the putting into force of the measures proposed by the League's Committee of Co-ordination, and continues: "In reply to general observations advanced by the Italian Government, His Majesty's Government feel bound to emphasise that, having themselves taken part in the discussions at Geneva, they are in a position to bear witness to the constant anxiety evidenced alike by the Council, the Assembly and by other organs of the League of Nations, fully conscious as they have been of the gravity of their responsibilities to carry out their duties in a spirit of impartiality and to concede the utmost possible weight to the legitimate interests of Italy."

His Majesty's Government are so convinced of the accuracy of this stage of the work already performed by the League of Nations in connection with the Italo-Ethiopian dispute that they feel no useful purpose would be served by re-opening or recapitulating the discussion of the questions raised in the Italian note.

"RECOUSE TO WAR" His Majesty's Government must therefore content themselves by recalling that on October 7 last the Representatives of all the Governments represented on the Council, with the exception of the Italian delegates, confronted with the task of applying the provisions of the Covenant which are mandatory in character, to facts which were not in dispute, felt

PRINCE OF WALES TO BE AT EARL JELICOE'S FUNERAL

London, To-day. It was officially announced from Buckingham Palace yesterday that H.R.H. the Prince of Wales will accompany His Majesty the King at the funeral of Earl Jelicoe at St. Paul's Cathedral on Monday. — British Wireless Service.



"CHINA CLIPPER" SETS OUT

NEW TRAIL BEING BLAZED

San Francisco, To-day.

A crowd of 100,000 people cheered and bands played as the huge airmail "China Clipper" circled the Golden Gate and then shot to sea to inaugurate the regular air service to Manila.

President Roosevelt sent a message, expressing heartfelt congratulations from an air-minded sailor at the thrilling achievement of Americans; blazing new trails through courage, daring and enterprise. — Reuter.

LOCAL DOLLAR ADVANCES

Silver Prices Fall

The local dollar has advanced a farthing, opening on demand this morning at 1/5 1/4 (nominal). Silver prices declined 1/16, "spot" being quoted at 29 1/2 and "forward" at 28 15/16. The London on New York cross-rate was quoted at \$ U.S. \$4.93 1/2, as compared with \$ U.S. \$4.93 1/2, while the New York on London cross-rate was quoted at \$ U.S. \$4.95 1/2, as compared with \$ U.S. \$4.96.

SENTENCES FOR ESPIONAGE IN BUDAPEST

Budapest, To-day. Twelve persons, including two women, were sentenced to long terms of imprisonment by a military court here yesterday after having been found guilty of espionage. — Trans-Ocean Service.

MAIL SCHEDULES

CHRISTMAS LETTER MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN VIA SUEZ

The Christmas Letters Mail for Great Britain via Suez will be closed in the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 19th November per a.s. "Chenonceaux" as follows:—
Registered Mail... 9.45 a.m., Nov. 19
Ordinary Mail... 10.30 a.m., Nov. 19
This mail is due in London on the December 21.

Christmas and New Year cards bearing not more than five written words and enclosed in open envelopes are accepted by the Post Office at the rate for printed matter, 12 cents per 2 ounces.
Envelopes must not be closed.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR LETTER MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN VIA SUEZ

The Christmas and New Year Letter Mail for Great Britain via Suez will be closed in the General Post Office on Friday, the 22nd November per a.s. "Hakowaki Maru" as follows:—
Registered Mail... 5.00 p.m., Nov. 22
Ordinary Mail... 6.00 p.m., Nov. 22
This mail is due in London on the 24th December.

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INWARD MAILS

FROM EUROPE

Yuen-sang (Air Mail ex Imperial Service) Nov. 23
Tianwa (Air Mail ex Imperial Service) Nov. 23
Naldera (via Suez) Nov. 23
Agamemnon Nov. 23

FROM SHANGHAI

Menelaus Nov. 23
Pres. Jackson Nov. 23
Corfu Nov. 23

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Tianwa Nov. 23
Tango Maru Nov. 23
Bhutan Nov. 23
Naldera Nov. 23
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Conte Verde Nov. 23

FROM U.S.A.

Pres. Jackson Nov. 23

FROM JAPAN

Tjisadane Nov. 23
Tokwa Maru Nov. 23
Hakowaki Maru Nov. 23
Tianwa Nov. 23
Pres. Jackson Nov. 23
Corfu Nov. 23
Nako Maru Nov. 23

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Proteus (Imperial Service) Nov. 23
Closes: Reg. 1 a.m. Ord. 2.30 p.m.
Chichibu Maru (via San Francisco) Nov. 23
Closes: Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 8.30 a.m.
Corfu (via Marseilles) Nov. 23
Closes: Reg. 9 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.
Athos II (via Siberia) Nov. 30

FOR SHANGHAI

Chichibu Maru Nov. 23
Athos II Nov. 30

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Menelaus Nov. 23
Corfu Nov. 23

FOR MANILA

Kitano Maru Nov. 23
Tjidadak Nov. 23
Minam Nov. 23

FOR AUSTRALIA

Kitano Maru Nov. 23

FOR JAPAN

Yuen-sang Nov. 23
Nako Maru Nov. 23
Athos II Nov. 30



Top: British warships in the Mediterranean. Lower left: a reconnoitering party of Italian Askaris (native troops) under a native officer. Lower right: General Balbo, Governor of Libya, inspects the guard of honour.



An aeroplane flying across African wastes and the Mediterranean, telephoto-circuits between Italy and London, and radio-facsimile transmission across the Atlantic, combined to bring this photograph from the warfront, showing a squad of Italian flame-throwers advancing on the Ethiopians.



As Italian shells and bombs carry destruction to many Ethiopian towns, Ethiopian tribesmen are answering Emperor Haile Selassie's call to arms. These tribesmen, typical of the fighters the Italians are facing, were pictured as they left for the Somali-land frontier.



The salute is given by these officers and enlisted men of Italy's forces in Eritrea as they line up to receive the command sending them across the border and to war with Ethiopia. These men took part in the drive on Adowa.

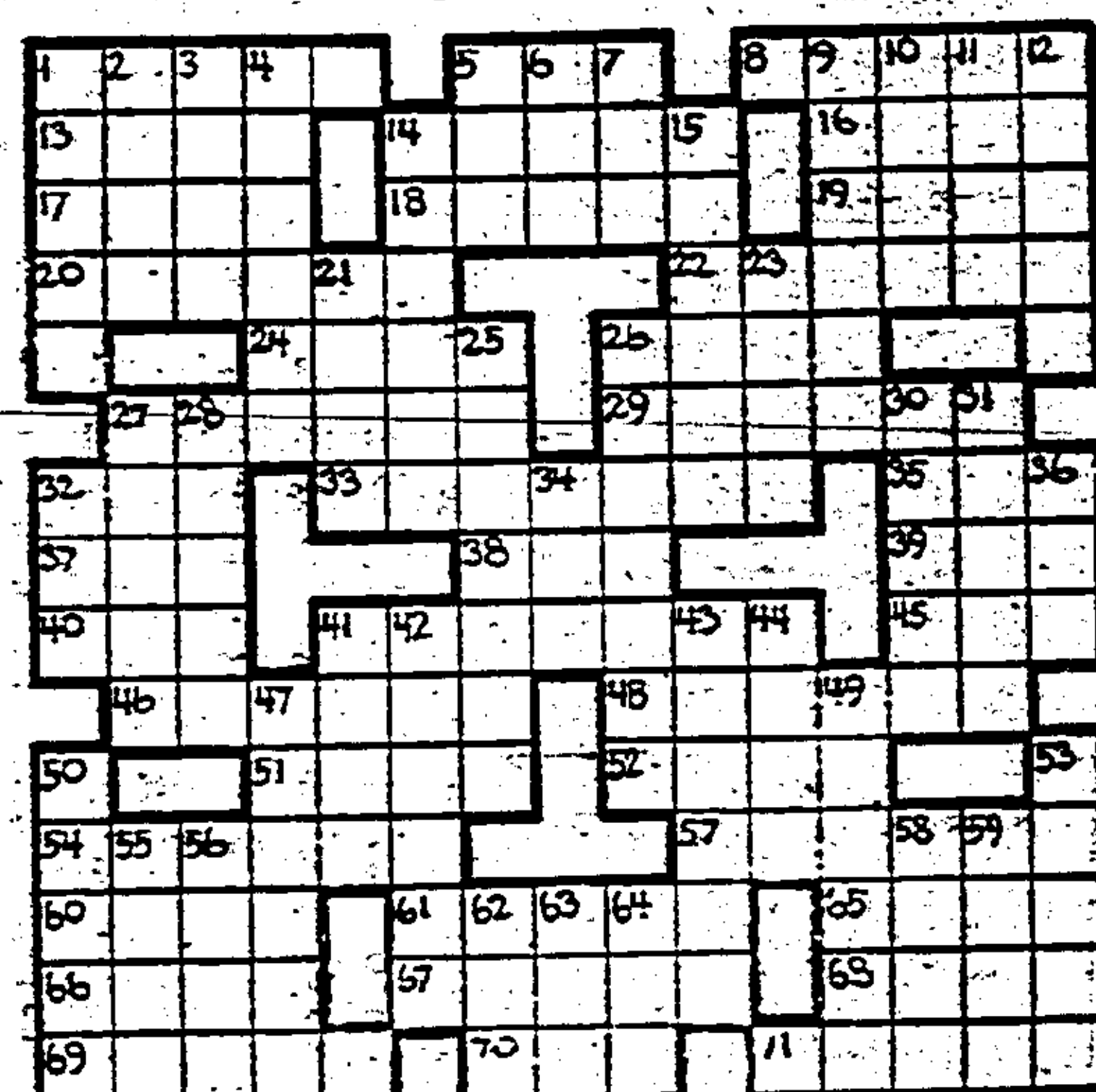


These Ethiopian soldiers man modern anti-aircraft guns outside Addis Ababa and are unlikely to let invading planes of Il Duce do damage without a fight. This new picture has only just arrived from the warfront.

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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- HORIZONTAL**
1-Roman goddess of love
5-Enclosure
8-Altitude
13-Perilla
14-Crushed
16-Founder of the Priests of Oratory
17-Swine
18-Excite
19-Range of mountains in W. China
20-To seal up
22-Ascend
24-Greek god of war
25-Blemish
27-To color again
28-Those who tone
32-A vegetable
33-Exploring
35-Consumes
37-Fragment of cloth
38-Relate (abbr.)
39-Self
40-Lyric poem
41-Slight depressions in the cheeks
45-Veteran (abbr.)
46-The stout
48-Rubs out
- HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**
51-Academy (abbr.)
52-Drop
54-Ide crisp
57-A and combining
60-Pull-h
61-Plain
65-Deceive armor
66-Fr-pulan river
67-Heeds
68-Scur
69-Harsh
70-Epoch
71-A letter (pl.)
- VERTICAL**
21-Melody
23-Pooled
25-Raged
26-Clashed
27-Away of "Clash" and the "Heath"
28-Ardous
30-To pass, as a rope through a hole
31-Wise men
32-Purple
33-Roman god of the sea (abbr.)
36-Small child
41-Ivory cubes
42-A method of grafting
43-Whisper
44-Navigable
46-Moves rapidly
48-Undulations
49-Greek letter
50-Mine entrance
51-Piece of baked clay
55-Eons
56-Drong
57-The sheltered side
58-Organ of hearing
64-A confection

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue.

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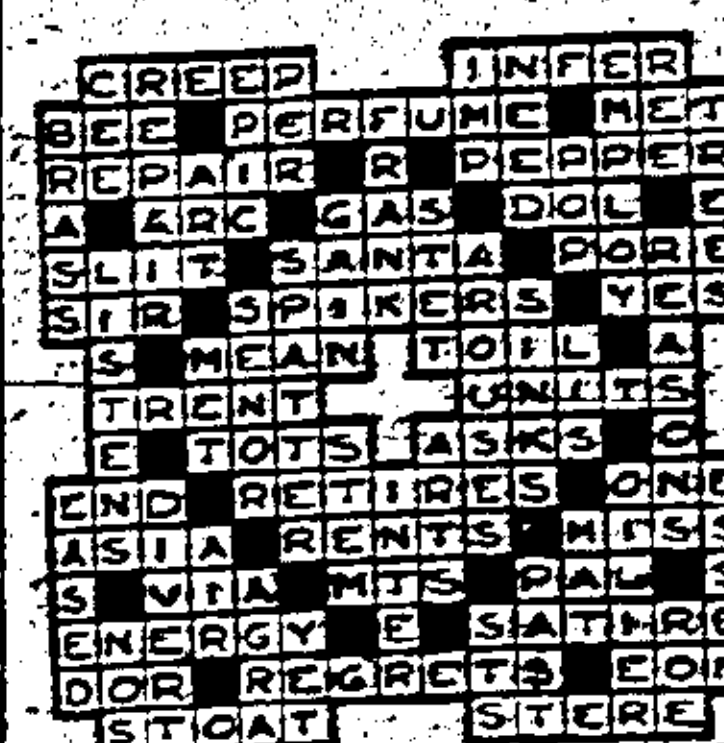
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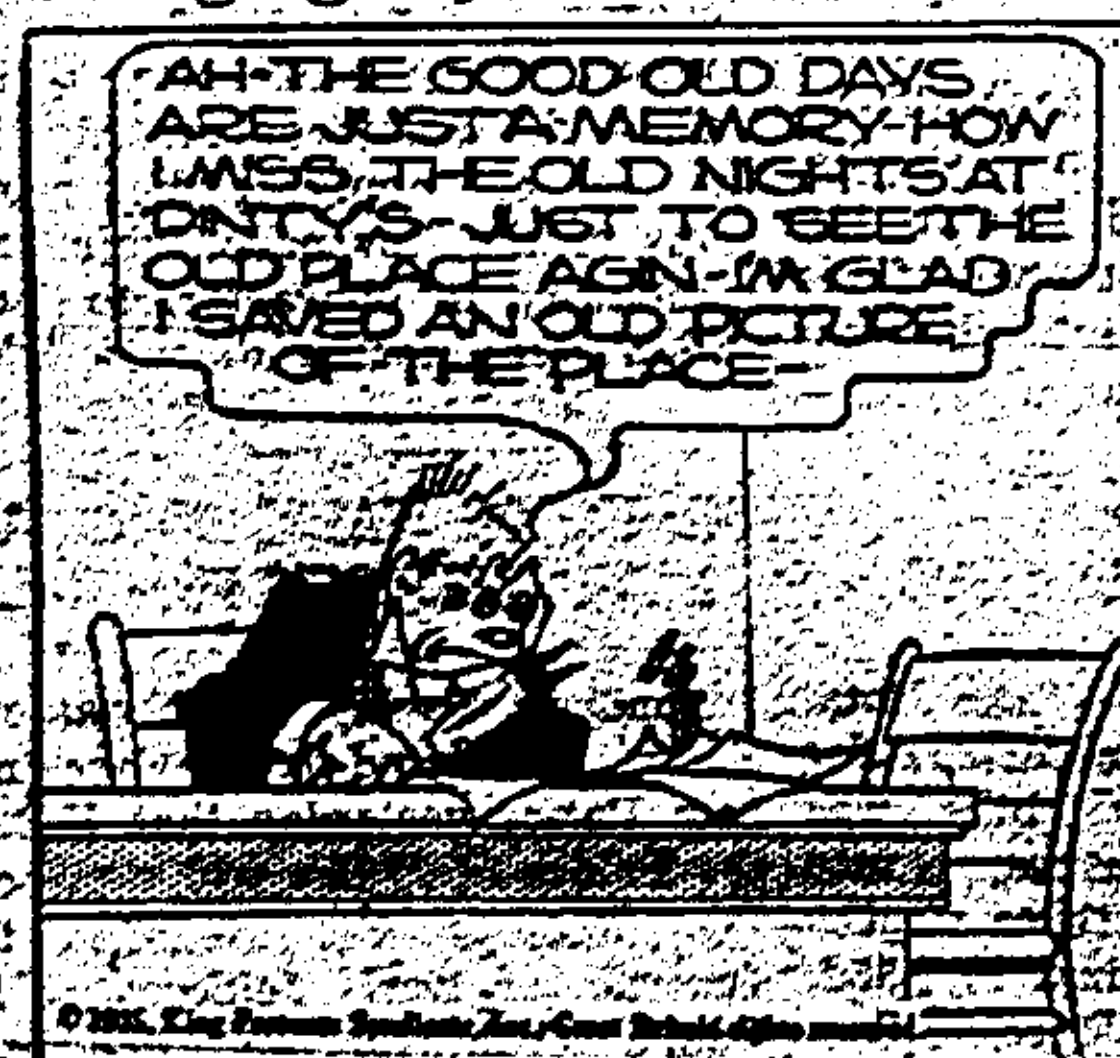
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BRIDGE NOTES

JUMP TRUMP REBID

By Ely Culbertson

It is most important to reach every possible slam and one of the new ideas in the Sims-Culbertson bidding method is the Jump-Trump Re-bid, showing a solid or near-solid suit. For instance, in response to a two heart opening, partner bids two spades, indicating a fairly strong hand. At once a slam looms up. To show that the heart suit has not more than one missing honour, the opener will jump to four hearts.

This response conveys a volume of information, especially when partner holds an honour in the opening suit. Knowing there are no losers in hearts, the responding hand can use the conventional Four or Five Notrump call, assist the hearts, show another suit or re-bid spades to show length, without setting the side beyond its depth.

In today's hand the contract is by no means a laydown, but declarer should have played it better. Had West been on his toes he would have scored 100 points instead of losing 1430.

South Dealer
Both sides vulnerable
North—
Spade—A K Q 9 5
Heart—Q 10 7
Diamond—9
Club—9 8 6 2
West—
Spade—7 4
Heart—6 4 3
Diamond—8 5 4 3
Club—K 10 5 3
South—
Spade—J
Heart—A K J 9 8
Diamond—A Q 10 6
Club—A J 4
East—
Spade—10 8 6 3 2
Heart—5 2
Diamond—K J 7 2
Club—Q 7
The bidding: (Figures after

tricks refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

South West North East
1H Pass 1S Pass
2D Pass 3S(1) Pass
3NT Pass 5H(2) Pass
5H Pass Pass Pass
1—Rebidding the spades since heart support can be shown later.
2—A fine bid. North can practically guarantee a slam opposite a hand containing a forcing rebid.

West opened the club three and East's Queen forced out declarer's Ace. The Jack of spades was led, followed by the Ace of diamonds and a diamond ruff. The Ace and King of spades afforded a club discard. West ruffing the King.

Had West returned a trump at this point, declarer would have had no play for the contract. With any other return, however, a cross-ruff yields the rest of the tricks. West led the King of clubs, and declarer made the slam.

Declarer's best play for the contract is to cash the Jack of spades after winning the club, take the Ace and ten of hearts, and run the spades immediately if trumps do not break. Since the trumps do break in this hand, the last trump should be drawn and the spades run. By this method of play, a spade

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break gives declarer twelve top tricks with the diamond finesse for the thirteenth. Since the spades do not break, however, declarer has a diamond finesse for the twelfth trick.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

Scotland v. New Zealand Rugby Match Results.
DANCE ORCHESTRA
12.30-2.15 p.m.—European Record ed Music.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.
1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.
4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7 p.m.—12 midnight — European Programme.
7.20 p.m.—Excerpts from "The Gondoliers" (Gilbert and Sullivan) sung by the D'Oyly Carte Opera Co.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—A Recital by Winifred Melville (Soprano).
1. Already is seen Young.
2. The Pipes of Pan.
3. The Arcadians (Monckton).
4. Sleep On ("Helen") (Offenberg).
4. My Man (Adams).
7.45-7.55 p.m.—Organ Solos by Charles O'Connell.
Meditation (Morrison).
The Rosary (Mozart)—God be with you till we meet again (Toscani).
Adagio (Mozart).
Sweet and Low (Barney)—I Need thee every hour (Lowry).
7.55-8 p.m.—"Six Hit Medley".
8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.
8.03-8.22 p.m.—"Melodies of the Month" played by Len Green (Piano).
8.22-9 p.m.—Variety Items.
Mandoline Solo.
Souvenir de Sicile.
Song—Maria B. Scivitaro.
Song—Blue Moon.
Vocal—Connie Bonwell.
Vocal—Jump on the Wagon.
Instrumental—The B.B. Billies.
Waltz—Medley.
Humorous—Harry Roy's Tiger Rag.
The Sunshine Cruise.
Cicely Courtwright.
Song—When the Gipsy Played ("Glamorous Night").
Instrumental—Mary Ellis (Soprano).
Makala Pua.
Vocal—Sol Hoopli and his Novelty Quartet.
Vocal—Fare thee Well Annabelle.
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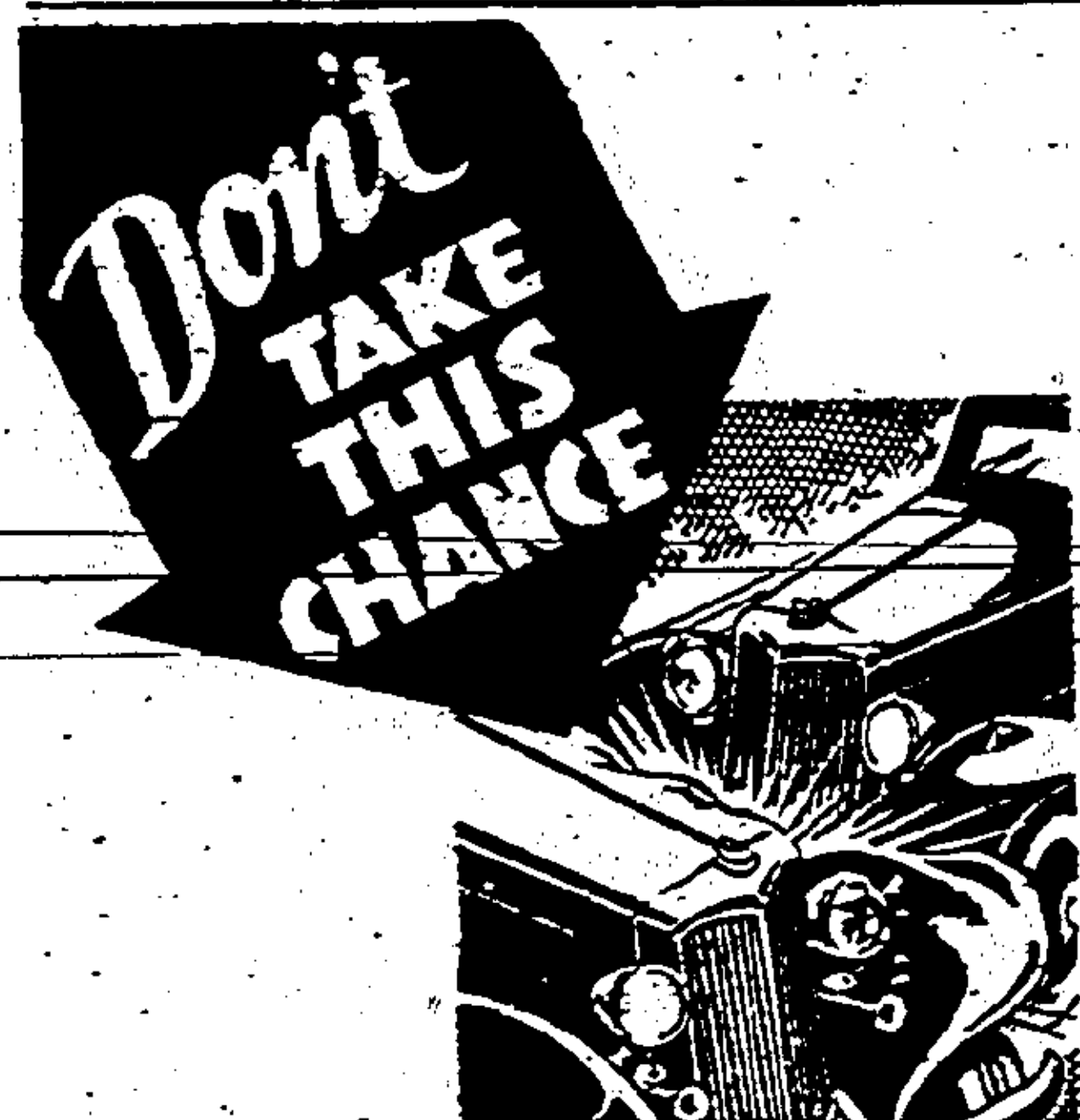
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NEXT FRIDAY'S ATTRACTION

Eddie Harkness and his famous Orchestra of San Francisco, California, now on tour in the Orient, have been engaged to play a special engagement at the Hong Kong Hotel next Friday evening. Harkness has played very successful engagements at the principal Hotels in California, namely the St. Francis, Mark Hopkins, Palace and Sir Francis Drake Hotels in San Francisco and Olympic Hotel in Seattle. Their radio appearances at K.F.H.C. (Columbia Network) and National Broadcasting Co. Network, together with their Victor Records have placed them among the most popular orchestras in America. This will be the only appearance of Harkness and his Orchestra in Hong Kong, as their tour is completed and they are on their way home to San Francisco. On Friday evening they will offer several of their comedy numbers which were such a success at the Metropolitan Theatre in Manila last week in conjunction with the latest American Dance Music.

Song—Alice Blue Gown.
Orchestra—Jennie Dragonette (Soprano).
Tunes of Nippon-Ling ago, 1923-24.
8.45 p.m.—A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletin. (Copyright by Reuters).
8.45-9.30 p.m.—Concert Waltzes.
A Thousand and One Nights (Strauss).
Roses of the South (Strauss).
Vidua Boh' Bone (Strauss).
9.30 p.m.—11.30 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra.
11.30 p.m.—12 midnight — A Relay from Daventry.
Scotland v. New Zealand—A running commentary on the last half-an-hour's play in the International Rugby Union Football Match by Captain H. B. T. Wakelin, relayed from Murrayfield, Edinburgh.
12 midnight—Close Down.
NOTES: There will be a relay from the Lee Theatre on Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles from 8-11 p.m. (CHINESE).



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Sporting Page

NEW ZEALAND RUGBY TEAM'S INTERNATIONAL DEBUT TO-DAY

I.R.C. ENTERTAIN ARMY IN LEAGUE

HOME TEAM'S WEAK BATTING

K.C.C. EXPECTED TO REPEAT SUCCESS AGAINST CLUB

(By "L.B.W.")

A FULL programme of cricket matches has been arranged for this afternoon, but chief interest will be centred on the First Division league match between the Indian Recreation Club and the Army on the former's ground at Sookunpoo. Both teams are at full strength and a good match is likely to result in a division of the spoils.

After their fine victory over the H.K.C.C. last week, the Kowloon Cricket Club will start favourites in their friendly against the Club on the latter's ground, where there is bound to be a large number of people to watch Arthur Lay, the Kowloon opening batsman, who has shown such good form to date.

There are a number of other friendly fixtures, but as far as can be ascertained, the Indian v. Army match is the only league engagement for the afternoon.

A. H. Rumjahn, for many years the Indians' opening batsman and captain of their successful team in 1930-31 as well as many other seasons, has been dropped from the I.R.C. side for this all-important fixture. The Indians are introducing a number of young players to their team, but while the idea is a commendable one, I should have thought that Rumjahn was still quite worth his place in the side.

THREE EXCITING MIXED DOUBLES BADMINTON GAMES

RECREIO "B" TEAMS EASY WIN

C.R.C. LOSE TO FIRE BRIGADE: ST. JOHN'S DEFEATED

Another runaway victory in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League was recorded last night, when the Tai Koo Recreation Club were completely overwhelmed by the Club de Recreio "B" team at Quarry Bay.

The St. Andrew's Club had a narrow escape from defeat by beating the St. John's Club by the odd set in nine. P. H. Kwok and Miss Smith proved themselves a strong combination, winning all their sets.

Playing at home, Tai Koo suffered a worse defeat than when playing away against a stronger team. (Continued on Page 5.)

St. Andrew's Win

At the St. Andrew's Church Hall last night the St. John's Club lost to the St. Andrew's Club by the odd set in nine.

H. Kew and Miss M. Charr (St. Andrew's) beat R. Koh and Mrs. Barlow 21-11 lost to F. H. Kwok and Miss Smith 14-21

beat W. C. Clark and Miss McCaw 21-7 A. E. P. Coet and Miss F. Wong (St. Andrew's) lost to Koh and Barlow 16-21 lost to Kwok and Smith 14-21

beat Clark and McCaw 21-7 R. H. Wong and Mrs. Dawson (St. Andrew's) beat Koh and Barlow 21-17 lost to Kwok and Smith 11-21 beat Clark and McCaw 21-4

Tai Koo Routed

At Quarry Bay last night the Club de Recreio "B" team beat the Tai Koo Recreation Club by nine sets to nil.

T. Staines and Miss J. Summers (Tai Koo) lost to E. de Souza and Mrs. Sousa 13-21 lost to L. Carralho and Miss A. Remedios 13-21

lost to A. E. Xavier and Miss S. Remedios 17-21 A. W. Norris and Miss T. Connolly (Tai Koo) lost to Souza and Sousa 8-21 lost to Carralho and Remedios 7-21

lost to Xavier and Remedios 6-21 C. H. Fawcett and Miss R. Summers (Tai Koo) lost to Souza and Sousa 8-21 lost to Carralho and Remedios 7-21 lost to Xavier and Remedios 6-21 (Continued at foot of Next Col.)



M. W. Turner, left and J. C. Miller, right, two former members of the Club rugby fifteen who are away from the Colony at present, the former being on leave and the latter having recently been transferred.



TWO EXCELLENT SENIOR CLASHES THIS AFTERNOON

FUSILIERS TO MEET CLUB

BUT TO-MORROW'S CLASSIC WILL DRAW CROWD

Although there are only two First Division League soccer games down for decision this afternoon, both give promise of some very good football, particularly the clash between the Club and the Fusiliers at the Valley.

The Club are still uncertain about their final line-up, but, in any case, the Fusiliers are assured of stern opposition from the civilians, who have just got into their stride.

In the other senior encounter the Recreio are trying out a new right-winger in Marques, who has been promoted from the Juniors. Very fast, and possessing clever ball control, Marques should be a definite acquisition to the team.

Best Junior Game

In the Second Division the Fusiliers and the Recreio will clash in what should be one of the best of the junior games. The Welshmen have not yet been defeated, but should not take their opponents lightly as the Portuguese team have to date displayed jack-in-the-box form and are quite likely to spring a surprise. (Continued on Page 5.)

INTER-CLUB ROWING EVENT THIS AFTERNOON

GOOD PROGRAMME PROMISED

YACHT CLUB POSSES HEAVIER CREWS

The long-awaited inter-club rowing regatta between the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club and the Victoria Recreation Club will take place this afternoon, commencing at 2.30 p.m. over the Yacht Club course at North Point.

Both Clubs have selected well-balanced crews, although the Yachtmen are slightly the heavier. The V.R.C. however, have several experienced oarsmen, and a keen and exciting programme is promised.

A launch for spectators will leave Murray Pier at 2.15 p.m., while two other spectators launches will leave the Yacht Club at the same time.

The Programme There will be five events altogether, and they are given below, together with the starting times:

1. 2.45 p.m. Junior Fours
2. 3.15 p.m. Senior Pairs
3. 3.45 p.m. Novice Race
4. 4.15 p.m. Junior Pairs
5. 4.45 p.m. Senior Fours

One spectators launch will leave Murray Pier at 2.15 p.m., while two launches will leave the Yacht Club at the same time. (Continued on Page 5.)

ROVER'S FORECAST

The following is the forecast for the week-end fixtures, giving the favoured team in capital letters:

TO-DAY

FIRST DIVISION
Athletic v. RECREIO (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
Club v. Fusiliers (Club, 4.15 p.m.)

SECOND DIVISION

ATHLETIC v. Radio (Caroline Hill, 2.45 p.m.)
Kowloon v. ENGINEERS (Kowloon, 2.45 p.m.)
Club v. LINCOLNS (Club, 2.45 p.m.)

FUSILIERS

(St. Joseph's, 2.45 p.m.)
THIRD DIVISION
FUSILIERS v. Fusiliers (Happy Valley, 2.45 p.m.)
ENGINEERS v. Fusiliers (Military, 2.45 p.m.)
Railway v. LINCOLNS (Railway, 4.15 p.m.)

TO-MORROW

FIRST DIVISION
Lincolns v. S. CHINA "A" (Sookunpoo, 4.15 p.m.)
S. CHINA "B" v. R.A. Sater (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)
ST. JOSEPH'S v. R.A. Lyman (Navy Ground, 4.15 p.m.)

SECOND DIVISION

Eastern v. SOUTH CHINA (Sookunpoo, 2.45 p.m.)

FOUR LADIES' HOCKEY GAMES FOR TO-DAY

CHAMPIONS MEET ST. ANDREW'S

KEEN BRAWN CUP GAMES EXPECTED

A fairly good ladies' hockey match should be witnessed at Sookunpoo this afternoon, when the Hong Kong Ladies' champions of the Cae Clark Cup tournament, meet the St. Andrew's Ladies whom they should beat, although by a very small margin.

The Central British Association Ladies, who have a very powerful side this season, should experience no difficulty in taking the points off the Recreio Ladies, who are much weaker than last season.

BRAWN CUP MATCHES

Two Brawn Cup matches are also down for decision. The "Y" Ladies' second string will entertain the Diocesan Girls' School at King's Park at 3 p.m. Following their very fine display against the Central British School last Tuesday, the Diocesan Girls are expected to win this encounter.

The Central British Schoolgirls will meet the Hong Kong Ladies' second string at the Valley, and the latter, being almost on a par with the Recreio Ladies' first string, should win comfortably.

NOMADS TO MEET MULE CORPS TO-DAY

The following have been selected to represent the Nomads in a friendly hockey match against the Indian Mule Corps at the Marine ground this afternoon at 2.30: C. Soares, J. Sousa and R. J. Reed; A. Xavier, S. A. Reed and R. C. Reed; L. Silva, L. Sousa, F. O. Reed, C. Barros (Capt.) and J. H. Franco.

SCOTLAND'S STRONG XV FAVOURED

BORDER FORWARDS' VERY BIG TASK

TEN FORMER "CAPS" IN SIDE

(By "Referee")

ALL interest in the rugby world will be focussed on Murrayfield, where the first International Rugby Union match of the season, between Scotland, last year's wooden spoonists, and the All Blacks, will take place this afternoon.

The South of Scotland match against the New Zealand team, which the latter won by 11 points to 8, and the Combined Cities affair gave the Scottish selectors a pretty shrewd idea of whom they were going to select, and the result of their deliberations is above criticism.

Although the New Zealanders won both these matches, they had very little to spare, a penalty goal being the decisive factor in each case. In neither match were the New Zealanders convincing, so it is small wonder that Scotland's supporters are confident that the blending of their splendid Border forwards with the Cities' backs, reinforced by the Cambridge captain, K. C. Fyfe, will win the day.

Ten of Scotland's team played in the International series last year, among these being R. C. S. Dick (Wales, Ireland, England), K. C. Fyfe (W. L. E.), J. E. Forrest (E.), C. W. C. Murdoch (I. and E.), W. R. Logan (W. L. E.), R. W. Shaw (I. and E.), R. M. Grieve (W. L. E.), J. Beattie (W. L. E.), W. A. Burnett (W. L. E.), and L. B. Lambie (W. L. E.).

Trial Last Year

J. M. Kerr, Heriot's, played for the Rest in the final Scottish International trial last season, when, if not quite at his best, he did well enough to suggest that he might safely be entrusted with the full-back position.

The New Zealand team have swept on from victory to victory and, although they have not retained the brilliant record of their predecessors—they lost to Swansea by 11-3—they are the most powerful side to have visited the British Isles in the last 10 seasons.

The following are to-day's teams:

Scotland: Kerr, (Heriotians); Forrest, (Glasgow Academicals); Dick (Glasgow Hospital); Murdoch (Hillhead High School); Fyfe (Cambridge University); R. Shaw (Glasgow High School); Logan (Edinburgh Wanderers); Grieve (Kelso); Gray (Gala); G. Shaw (Gala); Beattie (Hawick); Burnett (West Scotland); Lambie (Glasgow High School); Western (Selkirk); Thom (London Scottish).

New Zealand: Back, Gilbert; three quarters, Mitchell, Oliver, Hart, five-eighths, Campbell, Griffiths; half, Sedler; forwards, Hore, Hadley, Lambie, or Pepper; Manchester, Reid, King, McKennie and Mahoney. (Continued on Page 5.)

MAMAK HOCKEY LEAGUE

Complaints Against Umpires

At a meeting of the Mamak Hockey League yesterday, it was decided, in view of the many complaints of umpires not turning up for tournament matches, to appoint Mr. A. E. P. Groat, as assistant Hon. Secretary, to take sole charge of arrangements for tournament matches.

It was stated that H.M.S. Partisan would enter the "A" Division of the League, and that they would be invited to ask other Navy players to represent them if they wished. The secretary of the Partisan team is Lieut. H. Chapman, R.N., c/o Naval Yard.

FRIENDLY HOCKEY

The H.K.S.B.A. defeated the Navy "A" in a friendly hockey match on the Marine ground yesterday by 12 goals to nil. L. C. C. Cartwright and Rhonda Bux being responsible for the goals.

GOLF NOTES

(By "NIBLICK")

A DIFFERENCE of 17 strokes separated the first and the last qualifiers for the 16 match play places in the Kowloon Golf Club Junior Championship.

L. D. Purves returned the best card, scoring 86 against the course par of 67, but comparison with previous years brings forth the fact that the returns are the highest recorded to date. Fifteenth and sixteenth placings were gained with scores of 103, the players having the dubious honour of being the first to qualify with century returns in the known history of the Club.

The cause of the high scoring (or shall we say the excuse) was the high wind prevalent all morning. The wind was not sustained but very gusty, and consequently many players, when allowing for the wind, found it had "dropped" at the crucial moment and the allowance made resulted in wrong direction.

The draw for match play stages is interesting and I look to Longbottom, Simpson, Charlton and Purves to contest the semi-finals.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

A. W. de Roma, by virtue of his win over S. Urquhart, becomes the first semi-finalist in the Senior Championship. A real surprise was recorded when A. L. Eastman (the Kowloon footballer) defeated R. K. Collins 2 and 1 to fill another semi-final bracket. The latter was strongly fancied in some quarters to bring home the "honor," but Eastman's gross 76 was too good.

The other two pairs—D. C. Wilson and E. E. Remedios and H. H. Mundy and Paton—are playing off to-morrow.

OVERHEARD AT THE NINETEENTH

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".....they were on the third tee and Eustace said, how do we stand, old fellow, to which Lancelot replied, I dunno old boy (hic) I think it's a miracle myself."

".....the No. 1 boy answered the phone and interpreted thus—Mr. Blank, your missie speaky me, you have gone home or no come out yet?"

GOLF BALL THAT WASN'T THERE

But Stroke Had To Be Counted

(By "FAIR FIELD")

London, October 30.

Queer things happen in golf. Take the case of W. Tregaskis, a Melbourne player, who tried to hit the ball that wasn't there. Tregaskis had an "air" shot for the very simple reason that his ball had been knocked away by his opponent's ball as he was at the top of his swing.

His opponent had aimed on to another fairway and was hitting back on to his own. There was much talk in the local club-house. It was decided that Tregaskis had made a forward movement of the club with the intention of striking the ball. So a stroke had to be counted.

Reserves: Reserves: R. S. Rogers D. B. Bone C. L. Farmer A. T. Hamilton L. J. Blackburn S. J. Pollock V. Sorby P. T. Farrell R. C. Butler

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MR1839	Lonely Villa By The Sea	Billy Cotton
MR1839	Girl On The Little Blue Plate	Low Stone
MR1839	Star Gazing	Low Stone
MR1839	Love Me Forever	Man To Van
MR1839	World Is Mine To-night	Man To Van
MR1839	Latin From Manhattan	Man To Van
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SCOTLAND'S STRONG XV FAVOURED

NUMEROUS CHANGES IN CLUB FIFTEEN

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Unfortunately four of the best "A" backs Archer, Wilson, Edwards and Coppins are not available this week, but, nevertheless, it is expected that the side will give a good account of itself, the forwards being noted for their ability to get the ball.

Navy Strengthened

The Navy side will be very much stronger. With the arrival of the Dorsetshire, Lane, who was capped for the Navy at Home last year, becomes available. He was considered the fastest wing in the four countries last year. Thomas, Preece, Light, Baker and Wyman are all from the Dorsetshire and come with good reputations, so perhaps the Navy will reverse the previous decisions against the Club.

Col. Harrison is certainly proving popular as a referee; he has wonderful control of the game and saves a lot of unnecessary scrummaging. Lieut. N. L. Evans R.N., who was the mainstay of the Navy pack out here last year, played for the Combined Services against the All Blacks last month, when the latter narrowly won. He is reported to have given a very good account of himself.

Four Teams

The following will represent the Club in their friendly match with the Navy to-day at 4.15 p.m. on the Navy ground, Causeway Bay: L. G. Robertson (capt.); K. A. Munro, J. L. Bonnar, A. M. W. Scott, L. J. A. Feilden; A. H. R. Butcher, H. C. Meekie; A. F. Walkden, J. H. McElroy, E. P. Humphreys, S. H. Garrod, W. E. Peers, M. S. Cumming, F. J. McGowan, B. O'M. Deane.

The Navy will be represented by: Mech. Thomas (Dorsetshire); Lieut. St. Clair Ford (Orpheus) capt.; Surg. Lieut. Benson (Medway), Lieut. E. J. A. Feilden (Dorsetshire), Lieut. Miers (Rainbow), Corp. Preece (Dorsetshire), Marine Light (Dorsetshire), P. O. Wyman (Dorsetshire), Sgt. Cooper (Persers), Tel. King (Tamar), Lieut. Kennedy (Rainbow), Lieut. Winter (Rainbow), Lieut. Baker (Dorsetshire). Referee: Col. H. C. Harrison.

The Club "A" side will be: A. N. O'Her, J. H. Hawlett, C. J. Powell, K. E. Aires, W. Sharp, C. S. Archer, D. A. Campbell, B. D. G. Barlow, G. S. Chambers, D. K. Paul, J. S. Dunnett, W. Stoker, A. K. Forsyth, B. A. Hynes, J. F. L. Small.

THREE EXCITING MIXED DOUBLES BADMINTON GAMES

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In their previous encounter, against the Fire Brigade at the Central Police Station, they managed to account for their last set in the third round, but last night they were beaten by a weaker team, the Club de Recreio "B," by nine sets to nil.

C.R.C. Defeated

The Chinese Recreation Club sustained their first defeat of the season at Causeway Bay when they were beaten by the Fire Brigade by 6 sets to 3. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. H. Shute maintained their undefeated record by winning all their sets. S. W. Liang and Miss Khoo, the Chinese No. 1 pair, were the pick of the home team. Great improvement was seen in the play of L. Lee and Miss G. Mok, who took the lead in their match against Fisher and Mrs. Wild, only to be beaten in the end.

CORRETT CHALLENGES 'EBB' REBC

Dick Corbett (Bathurst Green), former champion weight champion, has challenged "EBB" Rebc, light weight title-holder, to a contest at 12.30 for £100 a side.

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Sept. 14 beat	Dorset and Cornwall	35-6
Sept. 19 beat	Midland Counties	29-3
Sept. 21 beat	Yorkshire and Cumberland	14-3
Sept. 25 beat	Albertville and Cross Keys	31-6
Sept. 28 beat	Swansea	3-11
Oct. 3 beat	Gloucestershire & Somerset	25-3
Oct. 5 beat	Leicestershire and Cheshire	21-8
Oct. 9 beat	Northumberland and	
Oct. 12 beat	Durham	10-6
Oct. 16 beat	South of Scotland	11-8
Oct. 19 beat	Glasgow and Edinburgh	9-8
Oct. 22 beat	Combined Services	6-5
Oct. 25 beat	Llanelli	16-8
Oct. 28 beat	Cardiff	20-5
Oct. 31 beat	Newport	17-8
Nov. 2 beat	London Counties	11-5
Nov. 7 beat	Oxford University	10-0
Nov. 9 beat	Hampshire and Sussex	14-6
Nov. 14 beat	Cambridge University	25-5
Nov. 16 beat	Leicestershire and East Midlands	16-3

Free Dinner?

To-night the Scottish Union will give a free dinner. Not only will the New Zealand team be entertained but for the evening all the survivors of the Scottish team who played in the first match against New Zealand, exactly 30 years ago, will be guests of the Union.

Bang Goes £1000

When the first All Blacks made the arrangements for their international with Scotland, they asked for a guarantee. The Scots, who were then cock of the rooster, thought so little of the gate-drawing powers of these untamed New Zealanders that they refused the guarantee but offered the visitors the whole gate.

The All Blacks took Britain by storm. By the time they came to play Scotland they had attracted what was then a record Rugby crowd.

NO LIFTING OF BAN

French Federation Criticised

(By "FAIR FIELD")
The French Athletic Federation have refused to reinstate Jules Ladoumègue, the former holder of the world's mile record, as an amateur.

It was announced yesterday that the Federation decided by 52 votes to 10, with one abstention, not to lift the ban on the professional.

More they do not want Ladoumègue as coach for their Olympic Games team. They say that they "consider the utilization of a professional not morally desirable."

This unfortunate phrase has caused a storm in Paris sporting circles. "A mean gesture," says one critic. "Another asks: 'What of Cochet and Carpentier, both of whom, like Ladoumègue, are valued ambassadors of their country?'"

SCHEMLING THINKS HE 'MIGHT BEAT LOUIS'

Cologne, October 15.—Max Schmeling thinks that he would make an ideal opponent for Joe Louis. He considers that he might beat him, but adds "naturally, I do not know that for certain." If he is unable to meet Louis, Schmeling would be willing to fight the world champion, Jimmy Braddock.



Remotion, above, is one of the most promising young footballers of the Liga Portuguesa.

INTER-CLUB ROWING EVENT THIS AFTERNOON

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The Crews

The following will represent the Yacht Club:
Junior Fours—
R. W. Smith, H. P. G. Champlin, J. E. Potter and D. O. Noor—P. L. Leefe (cox).
Senior Fours—
J. E. Potter and D. O. Noor—P. L. Leefe (cox).
Senior Fours—
A. G. Dalmel, K. Knudsen, B. L. E. Hebert and P. de N. Ramus—G. G. P. Hayward (cox).
Senior Pairs—
B. L. E. Hebert and P. de N. Ramus—G. G. P. Hayward (cox).
The V. R. C. will be represented by—
Junior Pairs—
Leo Silva and F. P. Sequeira—C. F. Rozario (cox).
Senior Fours—
L. A. Soares, S. A. Marcal, A. V. Alvares and M. M. de Soares—C. Agabeg (cox).
Senior Pairs—
L. A. Soares and S. A. Marcal—C. Agabeg (cox).
Novice Fours—
L. Roza Pereira, J. A. Gutierrez, L. P. da Silva, C. Agabeg—C. F. Rozario (cox).
P. B. Allan, E. Cumis, A. A. da Rosa and C. N. da Silva—R. Danden (cox).
Mr. H. W. Duley will be the starter, while the umpires will be Major McIntyre and Mr. F. B. Lanfesty.

I.R.C. ENTERTAIN ARMY IN LEAGUE

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Although their attack was not very impressive last week I think they will nevertheless be able to win again against quite as unimpressive bowling as their own, especially if Arthur Lay gets going with the bat.

As I mentioned earlier in the week, the Club attack is, at the best, very mediocre, and unless they can find another two bowlers, I am afraid they will be in for a somewhat lean season.

Craigengower Favoured

The Civil Service are playing Craigengower in a friendly and the game should result in a win for the latter. I do not know the teams at the moment, but it seems to be that the Civil Service are very much in the same boat as the H.K.C.C. insofar as their bowling is concerned. College, the former Army stumper, will again be playing for the C.S.C.C. Craigengower, on the other hand, have quite a number of bowlers to call upon and the one thing that is in their favour is that they have a very keen fielding side.

The Club seconds will visit Kowloon and, provided they can field a full team, a good game should result. The Police are entertaining the Indians in another friendly, while to-morrow the I.R.C. seniors are playing the newly formed Graduates' Association team on the University ground.

The Teams

I.R.C. 1st XI—F. D. Pereira (Capt.), S. A. Ismail, A. H. Mader, A. R. Mimi, A. el Arculli, A. S. Sufiad, A. P. Abbas, M. el Arculli, M. P. Mader, Y. el Arculli and K. Nazarin.
Army—Major Bonavia, Capt. Welch, Lt. Dawson, Lt. Garthwaite, Lt. Williams, Lt. Glegg-Hill, Cpl. Ballard, C. S. M. Elvin, Capt. Power, Lt. Johnson and Pm. King.
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YAMAGISHI WINS TENNIS TITLE

MENZEL OUTCLASSSED IN JAPANESE TOURNEY EXHIBITION GAMES IN MANILA?

Osaka, Japan, Nov. 18

JIRO Yamagishi, Japanese Davis Cup player, won the Japan national singles tennis championship here to-day by defeating giant Roderick Menzel, Czechoslovakian ace. Yamagishi won in straight sets from the visitor, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.

Menzel, who recently competed unsuccessfully in the American national singles play, is on a tour and is negotiating for a possible trip to Manila. Yamagishi, graduate of Keio university, is only 23 years old. He got his first Davis Cup seasoning in the 1934 campaign when he paired with Hideo Nishimura, of Keio, in the doubles.

Yamagishi came to the fore with other young stars even before the death of Jiro Sato, the veteran Japanese ace who had victories over both Fred Perry and Henry W. "Bunny" Austin of England to his credit. Yamagishi's first fame was as a doubles performer. In this play he was dependable, accurate and a marvellous court-corer.

TWO EXCELLENT SENIOR CLASHES THIS AFTERNOON

(Continued from Page 4)

The Club entertain the Lincolns, but I very much doubt whether they will be able to secure a point, the soldiers being much their superior in all departments. There are two good encounters in the Third Division, where the Medical Corps entertain the Fusiliers at the Valley and the Sappers meet the Air Force.

The Fusiliers, as I predicted some time ago, have worthily filled the shoes of the Borderers and it will not be long before they secure one of the three championships.

To-morrow's Clashes
To-morrow, two very good games should be featured, particularly that between the Lincolns and South China "A" at Soekun-poo. This will be the first and last meeting between the two teams before the soldiers leave the Colony on January 4, and the very best from both teams is expected.

South China "B" have made changes, and have considerably strengthened the team all-round, particularly the defence, where Tam Kong-pak has returned to the left-back position and Leung Wing-chui has returned at right-half.

Gunnery Improve
South China "B" will encounter Stonecutters. Although the Chinese team are expected to win easily, the Gunnery are fast falling into their stride and will offer stern opposition.

St. Joseph's and Lyeemum will clash at Causeway Bay, and here is another instance where the selectors are not sure of whom they are fielding.

Considering the curtailed soccer programme, the card at present offers very good entertainment to the soccer enthusiast.



To-morrow's Match

The following will represent the Graduates' Association in a cricket match against the I.R.C. to-morrow at 2 p.m. at the University Recreation Ground, Pokfulam:
F. L. Dalmel, A. E. Rumsden, W. H. Smith, C. W. Lam, A. S. Aziz, A. Baker, E. T. Loke, E. A. Lee, J. L. Youngs, T. E. Yeoh, F. S. Fernandez and D. E. Sany.
The I.R.C. team will be—S. A. Ismail (Capt.), A. H. Mader, A. R. Mimi, A. el Arculli, A. S. Sufiad, A. P. Abbas, M. el Arculli, M. P. Mader, Y. el Arculli and K. Nazarin.
Reserves: A. R. Kitchell and A. R. Sufiad.

ENGLAND SOCCER ELEVEN

The England XI to meet Germany in the international match at Tottenham on December 4 will be chosen in London on November 25.

The Philippine Islands Lawn Tennis Association is negotiating with the Japanese Lawn Tennis Association for a visit to Manila by Roderick Menzel, No. 1 ranking Czechoslovakian player, and his companion, I. Hecht, third ranking star of Czechoslovakia, who is also in Japan.

Tentative Plans
A cable has already been sent the Japanese association and tentative plans have been laid for exhibition matches here by the Czechoslovakian aces the early part of next month—Associated Press.

NEPIA DECLINES OFFER

To Sign "Pro" Forms For Streatham

(By "FAIR FIELD")
London, October 30.
George Nepia, the famous All Blacks full-back, has, according to a message received from New Zealand, declined the offer made by Streatham and Mitcham, the London Rugby League club, to sign for them.

It is stated that the London Club's final offer was a signing-on fee of £200. Nepia, however, would not talk business for less than £500.

I am not so sure, however, that we have heard the "last" of the Streatham-Mitcham bid for Nepia. Although the famous Maori is not so young as he was, he is still in splendid form.

He would, too, be a big gate-drawing attraction were he to come to play in the professional game over here. I dare say that Nepia, more than any other All Black, will live longest in the memory of the average Rugby follower.

SOCCER BAN LIFTED

Four Days Before Expiring

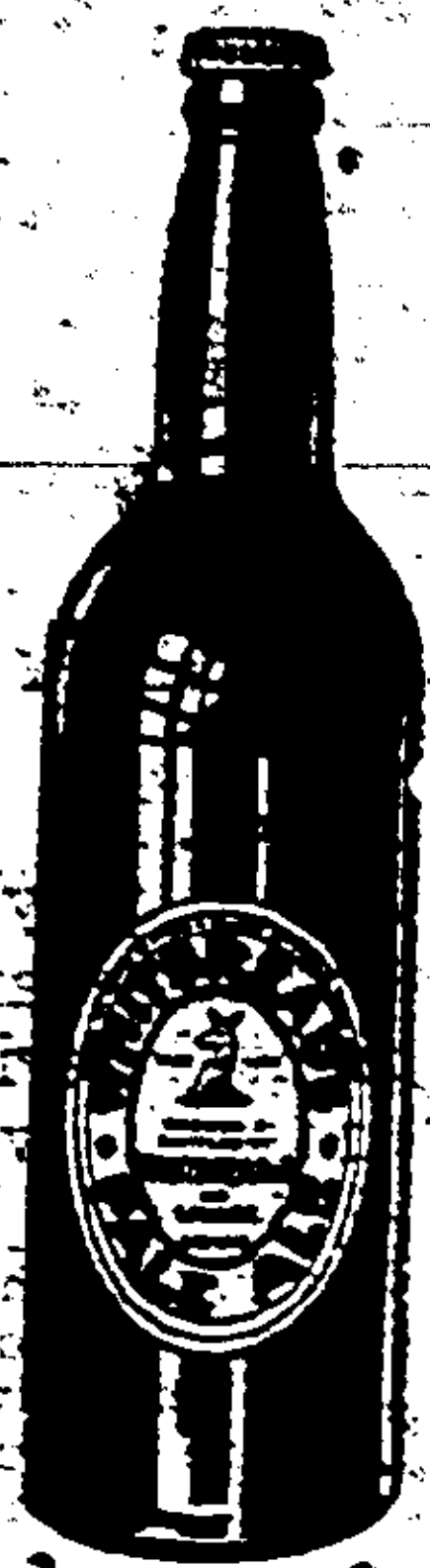
(By "FAIR FIELD")

London, October 25.
Soccer's greatest ban on a player has been raised. Yesterday it was announced that the three-month suspension on Davis, the Oldham Athletic centre-forward, had been commuted and Davis has never yet played for the Lancashire club.
In the close season Oldham paid a transfer fee to New Brighton for Davis. They did not know that the player had been signed by De Metz, a French club.
De Metz complained to the Football Association. There was an inquiry, and Davis was suspended from football for three months.

Now Davis will be able to play for Oldham to-morrow. His suspension has been lifted just four days before the three months were up.

CARDIFF CITY SIGN ON WINGER

Cardiff City have signed P. Roberts, an outside left who was with Luton Town last season.



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Mud And Strategy.

To the onlooker who knows something of the country it appears very probable that the hasty super-session of General de Bono by the appointment of Marshal Badoglio is the result rather of ignorance of conditions than of wisdom. Whatever may have been the motives for the decision to conquer Ethiopia, the whole campaign wears the aspect of having been begun without due deference to that verse in the Book of Proverbs in which King Solomon, who is reputed to have been the author both of the book and of the royal line of the country in question, tells us that he who is setting out to war should first count the cost thereof. Let us suppose for a moment that the Italian complaints had been more serious, and that the Dictator had taken the League more seriously, what would have been the ideal method of procedure?

The fault of the League in actual practice is that although the nineteenth clause of its constitution provides for taking into consideration any intolerable situation, and adopting such measures as may be necessary to put it right, that clause has been ignored, and the League has appeared to be merely an organisation for keeping things as they are. Had it been otherwise, and had the League decided to grant a mandate to assist good government, the first - and a very big - difference would have been that the French Railway from Djibouti would have been placed at their disposal. That would have made all the difference. Certainly it is only a one-horse sort of railway, on which a train takes three days to do 250 miles, but a few engineers and some powerful engines would soon have altered that. In South Africa it was found that with skilled "break-down gangs" it took less time to mend-up damage to the track or to make a slight detour than it took the other people to do the mischief. It may be taken as a primary maxim that no big army can be moved forward and kept supplied without a railway.

All the more should have been observed in a country that has not been opened up with good and heavily built roads. It is rather extraordinary that the Italians should have neglected this, for one of the features of East Africa - which has a life of its own not found elsewhere - is that sub-contractors on all engineering works are usually Italians. A construction camp has different sections. There is the office staff of the big contractor, where the language will be English or French; the quarters of the foremen and sub-contractors where Italian is spoken - there are 80,000 in Egypt, and a good number in the Sudan - and then there is the native compound of the labourers. General de Bono's previous colonial experience must have made him familiar with the details of road-making and the constant struggle with the washaways made by the rains, and he evidently refused to move his men far from the roadhead. It is not as though there were anything exceptional about the "Little Bains." Just as in Europe there is what is called the "Indian Summer" - a short interval of fine weather after some weeks of what looked like

THRILLING FILM BATTLE

Bacilli's Attack On
Blood Globules

TRIUMPH FOR FORCES OF
LAW AND ORDER

Paris.

Films that might be announced in the most startling terms on the hoardings are described by the Paris-Soir.

"Five million actors. Three hundred stars. The most remarkable reconstitution of a great battle ever seen on the screen. Real fighting, with blood and victims" are only some of the claims for them that might be made. But the warriors are red and white blood corpuscles, and the battles are fought against microbes.

Stars "Made Up"

The films are staged by Dr. Comandon in a laboratory at the house at Garches where Pasteur died. The "stars" often have to undergo a certain make-up to make them catch the camera.

"And although I sign no princely contracts, my stars are dear, very dear" Dr. Comandon explained, bringing his different cultures within the glare of the spot-light. "And then and there he shot a film. Bacilli of foot and mouth disease prepared an underhand attack on innocent red globules and an army of white globules. As in every good film, the forces of law and order triumphed, the bacilli beat a retreat, and the white globules, advancing in serried lines, surrounded them, and finally dealt the deathblow."

It has taken Dr. Comandon 25 years to bring his work to such perfection.

Field Of Battle

The "field of battle" in the film was only half a cubic millimetre of blood, which had to be enlarged 10,000 times.

"We generally keep down to six or seven thousand times," said Dr. Comandon, "but it is possible to go up to 200,000."

Dr. Comandon is now undertaking a series of studies on the evolution of cancerous cells, which are so remarkable that Dr. Carrel has asked him to go to New York to collaborate with him at the Rockefeller Institute. - Reuter.

WALKING ON THE SEA

15-Mile Tramp By
German

Berlin.

A 15-mile walk on a rough sea is one man's way of enjoying life. He is Herr-Fritz Ernst Neumann, aged 34, who has invented a pair of "water-shoes."

On these he has succeeded in walking across the Baltic Sea from Peenemunde on the River Oder estuary, Germany, to Thiesow, a small seaside town on the Isle of Rugen.

The journey, a distance of 15 miles, he completed in four hours, despite a rather rough sea. - Reuter.

autumn - so a few weeks after the "Big Rains" are finished, there comes a spell of lesser rains. The low country becomes waterlogged, and torrents rush down from the mountains. Acting under instructions from Rome the forces moved forward at a rate inconsistent with the construction of anything but temporary tracks, and it may safely be guessed that whole stretches of these roads have been completely washed away. The reason for this hurry is the wish to anticipate the effect of the sanctions, which will be cumulative, becoming more and more onerous every month. Only a short campaign, and an accomplished victory would ensure support on the home front and also enable the Government to maintain its defiance of the various embargoes. With the League's approval there would have been no need for hurry, and the campaign could have been prudently planned on a three-year basis. The Sudan was by comparison an easy job, but Lord Cromer, Kitchener and Giroud took three years into their plans as the minimum.

Here There and Everywhere.

ETON'S CINEMA

Eton boys are to have their own cinema again. About a year ago they organised a film society, but the performances, which took place in the school hall, had to be stopped because precautions against fire were inadequate.

Alterations have now been made in the hall to make it safe. Cellings and walls have been sprayed with asbestos, and a fire-proof chamber has been built for the projecting apparatus.

The first performance was given last month, when a programme of news films and comedies was shown. Tickets were sold at the door but the public were not admitted. The films were shown by an operator from a local cinema with the assistance of members of the school society.

STURDY STAGE VETERAN

Although he never played in London, Francis Wilson, the American actor, whose death was reported recently, was well known to English visitors to New York.

He was a sturdy veteran. On one occasion he walked from the Plaza Hotel to the Players' Club (not a short distance) in a blizzard. He was then nearly 80.

He was a versatile actor and tackled successfully Gilbert and Sullivan, farce, drama, classical, comedy, and musical plays, but never Shakespeare.

Your Daily Smile!

How does the average book reviewer keep fit? asks a writer. Possibly he does it by skipping.

Setting Him Right

A grubby urchin walked into the men's outfitting department of a large store. Addressing an assistant, he said, "A soft man's collar, please."

The other assistant stammered, and the one serving said, stiffly, "You mean a man's soft collar, my boy." Pointing to his own collar, he asked, "Do you mean one like this?" The boy eyed it momentarily. Then he replied: "No! a clean one."

Too Busy by Day

A little boy of 5 years came home and announced that his class had learned a new song.

"What was it?" asked his proud mother. "It was a carol," he said, "called 'Wild Shepherds' Washed Their Frocks by Night'."

CLAIRVOYANCE OR SECOND SIGHT

PARTICULAR GIFT TO
SOME PEOPLE

STRANGE CASES OF PENDING
EVENTS REVEALED

(By Nell St. John Montague)

EXACTLY what is clairvoyance?

So often one hears the question asked, and just as often the somewhat befogged answer given misleads rather than enlightens the questioner.

And yet clairvoyance, or clear-sight, to put it literally, or second-sight, as perhaps we know it best, is a natural gift - just as ordinary sight is the birthright of most people.

As ordinary sight is the normal child's inheritance, so second-sight - or the power to see much which is hidden to ordinary sight - is often the inheritance, the world over, of men and women who may, or may not, cultivate a gift which can be of enormous service.

For it is a fact, on which most clairvoyants agree, no matter what their race, colour, or creed, that clairvoyance can be used far more successfully for the help of others than for the individual good of the possessor of the gift.

Age-Old Beliefs

From almost the beginning of time clairvoyance has held its place all over the universe, and men and women have been born diviners, able to visualise, by their occult power, events and spectacles unseen by others.

Thousands of years before Christ veneration for, and belief in, the occult held sway in the East; and ever throughout the ages, until to-day, the realisation of the power of second-sight has remained firm in all Eastern lands.

For a period of time, in our own country, a revolt was made against all belief in a gift as God-given as that of ordinary sight, and outwardly, at least, men and women were forced to evince contempt for all occult.

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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Flash: The first tender day for cotton is November 25th and for rubber November 27th.

The American Railway Association estimates carloadings at 628,000 cars, an increase of 43,000 cars from the corresponding period of last year.

Latest Quotations
The following quotations were received by Reuters:

	Prev. To-day's	Close	Close
N.Y. London cross-rate	4.93 1/2	4.93 1/2	
N.Y. Cotton Dec.	12.02	11.87	
N.Y. Rubber Dec.	12.95	13.03	
Chicago Wheat Dec.	99 1/2	98 1/2	
Chicago Corn Dec.	60 1/2	59 1/2	
Silver Official	65 1/2	65 1/2	
Dow Jones Averages			
30 Industrials	147.37	144.61	2.76 off
20 Rails	38.20	37.59	.61 off
20 Utilities	29.67	29.05	.62 off
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Messrs. Harriman's Weekly Report

Messrs. G. A. Harriman and Co.'s weekly share report and review issued at noon yesterday states:

The market was again quite active but failed to maintain its firmness during the week under review due principally to two main factors, firstly the tendency of exchange, and secondly the mixed reception of the new issue of the China Lights and Power Company. There is no rhyme or reason why any concern with such "Progressive Powers" and possibilities as the one in question should not feel justified in making an increase of capital when profits show such a substantial gain and where they feel confident of being able to maintain or improve on past earnings and dividends. In spite of their profits having increased by over 20% there is a small section of shareholders who still do not like the new issue and consequently offered their holdings for sale and in the meantime this pressure to sell has had a weakening effect on the market in general which will soon disappear in a very short while when these holdings have duly found a home. There is absolutely no necessity whatever in any lack of confidence in the future prospect of this progressive concern. Investment counters generally gave way with Hong Kong Banks done down to \$14, closing with sellers at \$13 1/2. Hong Kong Electric receded somewhat from \$66 to \$64 1/2. Telephones (old) were dealt in at \$28 1/2 closing easier, the new shares having changed hands at \$30 1/2. Hong Kong Lands were very steady and were put through at \$35 1/2. Star Ferries came to business at \$33 1/2 and Wharves at \$38. Dairy Farms were easier with sales and sellers recorded at \$17 1/2. Minor issues registered a decline. Cements were done down to \$6.10 and Hotels to \$4.90. China Lights were very firm at the beginning of the week with buyers at \$11, but on the announcement of the dividend of 50 cents per share and a new issue of one new share to every eight existing shares slipped to \$10 1/2 closing with sellers at this rate. Sinceres had a smart rise, having been transacted from \$1.25 to \$1.70. Providents (old) eased off somewhat and could be obtained at \$1. Watsons had a sharp decline and were done at \$4.15. Sterling counters were easier.

Hong Kong Banks changed hands at \$13 1/2. Unions at \$13 1/2. The tone of the market at the close is quiet but there are many good buyers just inside present market levels.

Business during the week has been done at the following prices:

H.K. Banks \$13 1/2/1400.
Unions \$37 1/2/540.
Bank of E. A. \$70.
Wharves \$38.
Ewos \$310/1010.
Hotels \$4.90.
H.K. Lands \$35 1/2/36.
H.K. Trams \$14.
Star Ferries \$38/89.
H.K. Electric \$64 1/2/66.
Telephones (old) \$23 1/2.
Telephones (new) \$23 1/2.
Cements \$6.10.
Watsons \$4.15.
China Lights \$10 1/2/1120.
Dairy Farms \$18.
Sinceres \$1 1/2/170.
Animals \$1.
Humphreys \$9.80.
Peak Trams \$5.



Boris Karloff, Marian Marsh and Katherine De Mille appear in "The Black Room," a Columbia super-thriller, which comes to the Alhambra Theatre to-morrow.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

(A Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.)
Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road, near Station.
Sunday Service 11.15 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Subject: "SOUL AND BODY."
Testimonial Meeting: Wednesday, 6 p.m.
Reading Room is located at above address and is open: Monday and Thursday 5.30 to 7 p.m.
Tuesday and Friday 10 to 12 noon.

All authorised Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room.
The Public is cordially invited to attend the Service and visit the Reading Room.

THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Head Office of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, 21st December, 1935, at 2 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the financial year ended 30th September, 1935, and electing Directors and Auditors.

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NOEL BRAGA, Secretary.
Hong Kong, 16th November, 1935.

COMMODITY PRICES

The following quotations have been received by Reuters:

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing	Closing
New York Cotton:			
December	12.02	11.87	
January	11.90	11.77	
March	11.80	11.65	
May	11.63	11.52	
July	11.51	11.44	
October	11.21	11.11	
Spot	12.45	12.30	
New York Rubber:			
December	12.95	13.03	
January	13.05	13.13	
March	13.23	13.31	
May	13.37	13.46	
July	13.53	13.59	
Chicago Wheat:			
December	99 1/2	99 1/2	
January	98 1/2	98 1/2	
March	91 1/2	91 1/2	
Chicago Corn:			
December	60 1/2	59 1/2	
January	60 1/2	59 1/2	
March	61 1/2	60 1/2	
Winnipeg Wheat:			
December	86 1/2	87	
January	90 1/2	91	
May	91 1/2	91 1/2	
New York Silk:			
December	1.99 1/2	1.98	
March	1.98	1.92 1/2	
May	1.96	1.92 1/2	
a. asked, b. bid, t. traded, n. nominal, xx - possible mutilation.			

H. K. Stock Exchange Weekly Report issued at 3.15 p.m. yesterday.

The week under review has been quiet with little business passing rates closed somewhat easier due to profit taking.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

Hong Kong Banks \$13 1/2.
\$1360, \$1375, \$1400.
Bank of East Asia \$70.
Union Insurance \$565, \$540.
\$537 1/2.
Wharves (Old) \$38, \$38.
Hotels \$5, \$5.05, \$5.10.
Lands \$35, \$35 1/2, \$36.
Humphreys \$9.80.
Tramways \$14 1/2, \$14.30, \$14.35.
\$14 1/2, \$14.35, \$14.30, \$14.10, \$14.20, \$14.
Star Ferries \$38, \$39.
Peak Trams (Old) \$5.
China Lights \$11.10, \$11.15, \$11.20, \$11.10.
Electric \$66, \$64 1/2, \$64 1/2, \$63.
Telephones (Old) \$23 1/2.
Telephones (New) \$23 1/2.
Cements \$6.10.
Dairy Farms \$18, \$18.10.
H. K. Ropes \$4, \$3 1/2, \$3 1/2.
Sinceres \$1.45.
Watsons \$4.15.
Sandakan Lights \$2.10.
Rauba \$9.
Antanoks \$1.
Ewo Cottons \$10, \$10.10.
Govt. 8 1/2% Loan par.

CHANGES (3.15 p.m.) CLOSING

QUOTATIONS NO CHANGES

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Latest Quotations

The following quotations were received by Reuters:

	Prev. Yesterday	Closing	Closing
N.Y. London cross-rate	4.93 1/2	4.93 1/2	
N.Y. Cotton	11.63	11.67	11.59
N.Y. Rubber	12.95	12.91	12.95
Chicago Wheat	98 1/2	98 1/2	
May	98 1/2	98 1/2	
Chicago Corn	60 1/2	60 1/2	
May	60 1/2	60 1/2	
STOCKS			
Amoco	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Copper	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
General Motors	58 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2
Int. Tel. & Tel.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Montgomery Ward	39	39 1/2	39
N.Y. Central	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
U.S. Steel	50	49 1/2	49 1/2

POPPY DAY FUND

The following are the latest contributions to the Poppy Day Fund:

	Previously acknowledged	11.55.15	160.50	1800	416
H.M.S. "Medway"					
H.M.S. "Ocelot"					
Total					\$11,728.16

Terms: Cash on Delivery.
LAMBERT BROS. Auctioneers.
Hong Kong, November 22, 1935.

GENERAL NOTICES

CHINA LIGHT & POWER COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE

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LAMBERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS AND SURVEYORS

Public Auctions

The undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Wednesday, the 27th Nov., 1935, commencing at 10.30 a.m. at "Cameron Lodge" No. 548 The Peak

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

One Upright Piano by "Moutrie & Co."

On View from Tuesday the 26th November, 1935. Terms: Cash on Delivery

LAMBERT BROS. Auctioneers.
Hong Kong, November 21, 1935.

The undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

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1 Enlarger for "Leica" Camera.
1 Lot Photographic Accessories.
1 Drawing Set.
1 Lot Saddlery.
1 Gas Stove.

2 Alabaster Lamps.
On View from Tuesday the 26th November, 1935.

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IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION

It is announced in the *Government Gazette* that in exercise of his powers under section 3 of the Registration of Imports and Exports Ordinance, 1922, the Governor in Council amends the Regulations made on March 20, 1930, and published by Government Notification No. 170 in the *Gazette* of March 21, 1930, as follows:—

Amendments

1. The following proviso is added to the end of Regulation 4:—
Provided that if the article is any one of the goods mentioned in the first schedule hereto and is exported to any of the countries mentioned in the second schedule hereto then the export declaration shall be furnished to the Superintendent on or before the date of exportation.

2. The First and Second Schedule hereto are added after the Appendix at the end of the said Regulations.

First Schedule

1. Iron ore and concentrates, ground, unground or briquetted.
2. Iron and steel scrap and waste.
3. Metals, unwrought, of the following descriptions, namely:—
(a) Aluminium; (b) Chromium; (c) Manganese; (d) Nickel; (e) Tin; (f) Titanium; (g) Tungsten; (h) Vanadium.

4. Alloys, unwrought, containing any metal specified in paragraph 3 of this Schedule, including ferro-alloys but excluding steel and alloy steel; ores, concentrates and residues, ground, unground or briquetted, and matte containing any such metal; and scrap and waste of the said metals.

5. Aluminium oxide (but not including abrasives).
6. Ferro-molybdenum.
7. Ferro-silicon.
8. Rubber (raw), including crepe; rubber latex.
9. Waste, scrap and reclaimed rubber.

Second Schedule

1. All countries in Europe other than the United Kingdom.
2. Egypt.
3. Turkey.
4. United States of America.

WINTER LOGGING IN CANADA

A Busy Season Expected

LARGER-SCALE OPERATIONS THIS YEAR

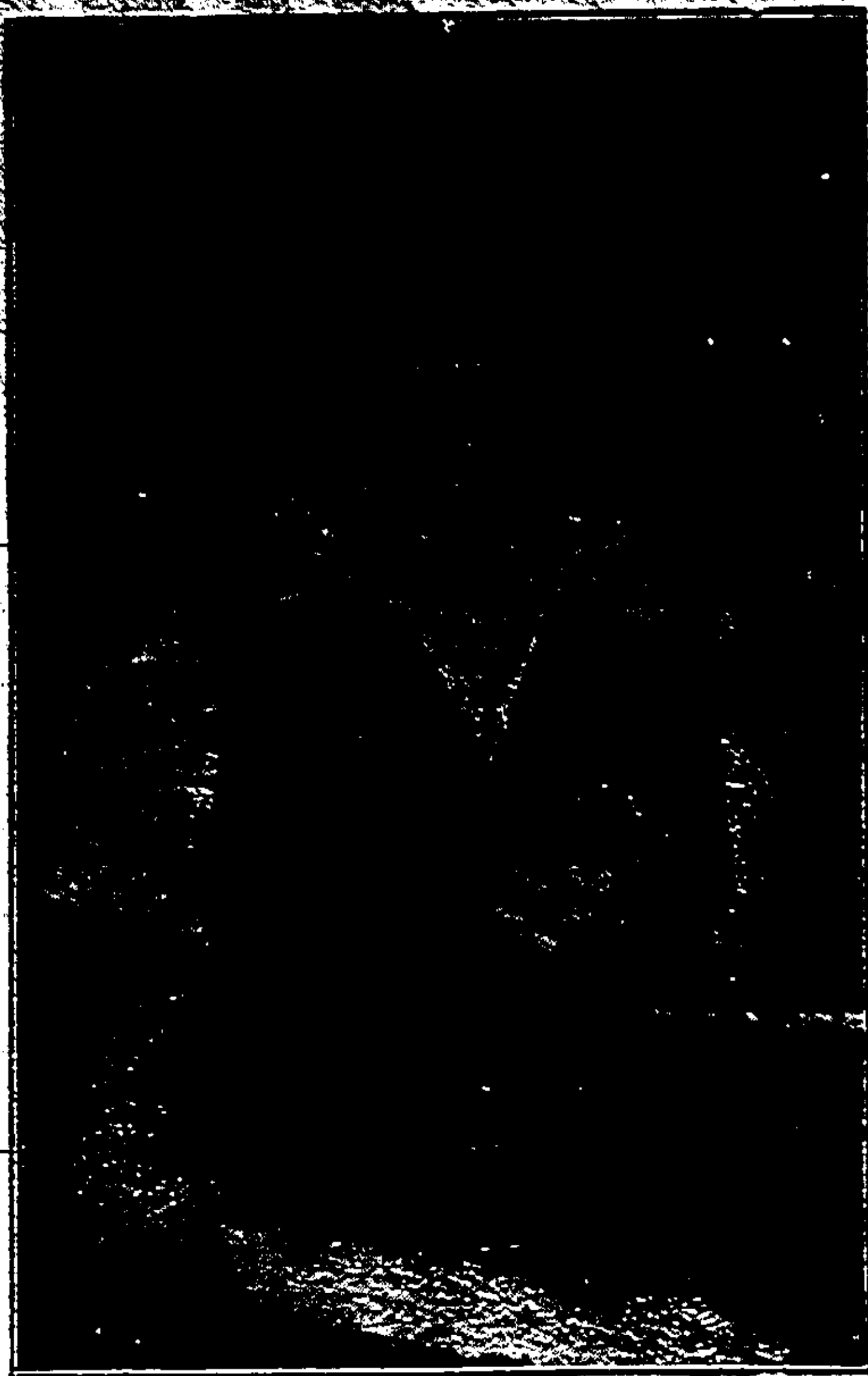
Ottawa.
From present indications winter logging operations in the woods of Canada will be on a larger scale this year than last.

One large Quebec timber and pulpwood manufacturer will give work to about 11,000 men in the bush this winter, a much greater number than last year. The timber man in Canada, as elsewhere, must be a man of vision as he must take account of the absorptive powers of markets a long time ahead.

Timber is in a sense a staple commodity, but it is a speculative business as there are many factors both at home and abroad which affect the market.

Planning Ahead
In the month of October the producer in Canada must lay his plans for the coming season. In Central and Eastern districts such as the Ottawa Valley and Western Quebec, the outlook is for slightly increased activity in the woods this season. In the Maritime provinces from present indications wood operations will be on approximately the same scale as last winter.

Much depends, however, on the export situation, and in this respect it must be remembered that a great deal of Canada's exports of timber and paper goes to the Far East. China and Japan are good customers for Canada's timber products.—*Reuter*.



Miss Aloha Wanderwell, above, will appear at the Alhambra Theatre this week-end to present her 'Adventure Films' and will tell of her strange experiences in the world's exotic corners.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The Dorado, it is learned, is to make ten more trips between Penang and Hong Kong under service conditions, beginning tomorrow. She is due here again on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bagram returned to the Colony by the Empress of Japan yesterday.

A tea dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. A half hourly bus service will run during the afternoon.

The annual dinner and dance held jointly by the Hong Kong University Graduates' Association and the University Club takes place to-night at the Hong Kong Hotel.

The new Theological College of the Spanish Proclamation of the Roman Catholic Church situated on the hillside above Happy Valley is now ready for occupation and is to be opened with appropriate ceremony by Bishop H. Valorta to-morrow at 9.30 a.m.

Among the passengers who returned to the Colony yesterday by the s.s. Chichibu Maru, were the local Consul-General of Peru and Mrs. Manuel Rivera Iglesias, after a three months' absence.

Among the passengers who arrived in the Colony yesterday from the North by the Empress of Japan were the Hon. Marquis and Marchioness of Normanby and Miss P. Cadogan, daughter of H.E. Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Minister to China. They are on a round trip.

Major G. E. P. Bouppell, V.C., who has been G.S.O.2 here since his arrival a year ago, is leaving for India to-day by the steamship Siridhana to take over command of the 1st Battalion of the East Surrey Regiment, stationed at Fyzabad. He is the only holder of a Great War V.C. in the Colony.

The wedding of Mr. Yu Wai-wah and Miss Au Un-pik will take place at the Gloucester Hotel at 3.30 p.m. to-day. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. Yu Ah-tim, commander of H.M. Naval Dockyard, and Mrs. Yu, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. Au Tze-shin, a well-known merchant and former director of the Tung Wah Hospital.

It is notified in the *Government Gazette* that under section 2 of the Missions Etrangeres Incorporation Ordinance, 1890, Ordinance No. 1 of 1890, satisfactory proof of the appointment of Monsieur Leon Vircondelet as Procureur General in Hong Kong of the Society of the Missions Etrangeres, in the place and stead of Monsieur Alphonse Marie Boffe, has been placed in the hands of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government.

The re-union dinner of the Wah Yan Past Students' Association, a which a large gathering, including Sir Shouson Chow, His Lordship Bishop Valorta and other notables are expected to be present, will be held to-morrow at 8 p.m. in the College Hall, Robinson Road.

An extra bus service has been arranged for the convenience of the patrons attending dinner dances at Repulse Bay Hotel on Wednesdays and Saturdays, in addition to the ordinary time table, as follows: H. K. Hotel, 8 p.m., 8.30 p.m., 9 p.m.; R. B. Hotel, 1 a.m., 1.15 a.m., 1.30 a.m.

The *Government Gazette* states that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Douglas James Valentine, M.C., M.B., B.S. (Lond.), D.P.H., D.T.M. and H., to act as Deputy Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, during the absence on leave of William Brownlow Ashe Moore, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.I., L.M. (Lond., Dub.), D.T.M. and H. (Lond.), with effect from November 23, 1935.

This evening at 9 p.m. in the Great Hall of the University, the Chinese Choral Society are giving one of their concerts. Madrigals, part songs and folk songs will be sung under Mr. J. Anderson Miller's leadership. Mr. Anderson

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

by "Movie Spotlight"

Boris Karloff once existed for a week on twenty-eight cents!

John Buckler is one of the tallest leading men on the screen.

Authentic Czechoslovakian costumes more than a hundred years old were worn by 35 players in a sequence of "The Black Room".

Marian Marsh, Columbia player, taught dancing before she was 20 years old.

"The Black Room" is a new thriller produced by Columbia, opens at the Alhambra Theatre to-morrow.

To-day's Short Story

THE WRONGED HUSBAND

By Luigi Pirandello

WHEN civilization—still behind times—compels a man to carry round his neck a long ladder from one lamp-post to another and climb up and down this ladder three times a day to fill up the lamps with paraffin, light them, and put them out again, it is obvious that this man—even if dull and prone to drink—must eventually begin to talk to himself and push the height of his thoughts at least at the same level as his ladder.

Tonio—the lamplighter of Troni, in Sicily—even fell from that height one night when drunk. He cut open his head and broke a leg. Only by a miracle he escaped death, and after two months spent in hospital he went back to his work, his ladder round his neck, with a leg shorter than the other and a heavy scar across his forehead.

Yet each time he climbs up the ladder he cannot help resenting that the world should be so made as to compel a man to take notice of things which he would be so pleased to ignore. For instance, a husband may well be totally indifferent to his wife's unfaithfulness, but the world takes care that he should not be allowed to ignore it, and even if he persists in taking notice, there will be plenty of people round him, even children, ready to remind him of it.

"How's your wife. Who is her best friend?" they shout when he is right at the top of the ladder, lighting up his first lamp.

"Hell with you," he answers back; "why come and tell me that now when I am just starting to light up the town? Can't you mind your own business and allow a decent fellow to earn his bread and butter?"

In fact, Tonio thinks from the top of his ladder, is it his fault if lamp-lighting allows no time to watch his wife? How can he bother about his wife when he has to climb his ladder three times a day to put right the endless lamp-posts of the town?

Miller, Mr. Li Chor-chi and Dr. L. T. Ride will sing, and Mrs. M. H. Arnold will play cello solos. There will also be a brief item of Chinese music, and an interesting concert is assured. Tickets may be obtained at the door.

Among the artistes who will assist at the forthcoming Australian and New Zealand Association concert in the Association Rooms, 307-308 Gloucester Hotel, are Miss Frue Lewis, Mrs. P. St. J. Sharpham, Miss Doreen Ma. Mr. Li Chor-chi and Mr. G. E. Dudley. The concert will commence at 5.45 p.m., on Thursday next, a nominal charge of 30 cents being made for admission. Tea and refreshments will be available in the small dining room of the Gloucester Hotel.

Yet, feeling the joke has now lasted too long, he had gone one day to the town hall to ask for advice. He had been received by Count Bissi, one of the councillors, to whose influence he owed his job and also some occasional allowances as a reward for the faultless way in which street lighting was being carried out under his care.

What Tonio wanted to know from his Excellency was whether, when he was attending to the street lamps, he could be considered as an official of the city.

"Not quite so," answered the councillor, trying to prove that private matters have nothing to do with official duties, and that insults addressed to him as a husband cannot legally be said to be addressed to him as a lamplighter.

MONDAY'S STORY

Monday's story will be "The Mossy Arms," by Walter Brooks.

"Your Excellency knows best, of course; but if they insult me when I am lighting the town, when I am on the top of the ladder leaning against the lamp-post striking my match against the wall to light the wick, when they know that I cannot leave the city in darkness and run home to watch my wife, and, if necessary, split open her head and that of her lover, what can I do? What would your Excellency do in my place?"

He underlines the words "split open her head and that of her lover," for he knows that, as a wronged husband, the world imposes upon him even the unpleasant duty of becoming a murderer in order to avenge his honour.

His Excellency really finds it hard to give an advice. "Does your Excellency want another proof? On moonlight nights, when lamps are not lit, nobody ever mentions my wife to me. Why? Because they know that on those nights I cease to be an official of the city. I believe that something should be done, your Excellency, and the police be informed."

Tonio's argument is right, but it matters little. What matters, says his Excellency, are the facts, and the facts are that if Tonio seriously objects to being so insulted, if he believes that his wife's unfaithfulness is caused by his job as a lamplighter then the best thing to do is for him to give up this job. If, on the contrary, he does not want to resign he must take no notice of what the people say, and carry on.

"Is this definite, your Excellency?"

"Quite definite, I am afraid," answers Count Bissi.

Tonio stands to attention with a military salute:

"Perhaps your Excellency is right: I better keep the job."

Each day the ladder seems heavier to the lamplighter, and each day, dragging his shorter leg on its half-worn rungs, he finds his job more painful and more tiring.

At times, when he reaches one of the last lamp-posts on the narrow lanes at the top of the hill, he stops, lingering on the ladder as though looking out from a window, almost hanging from his arm-pits to the bracket of the lamp, his hands swinging loose, his head resting on a shoulder. From there, forgetting his work and the advice of his Excellency, thousands of thoughts come to his mind.

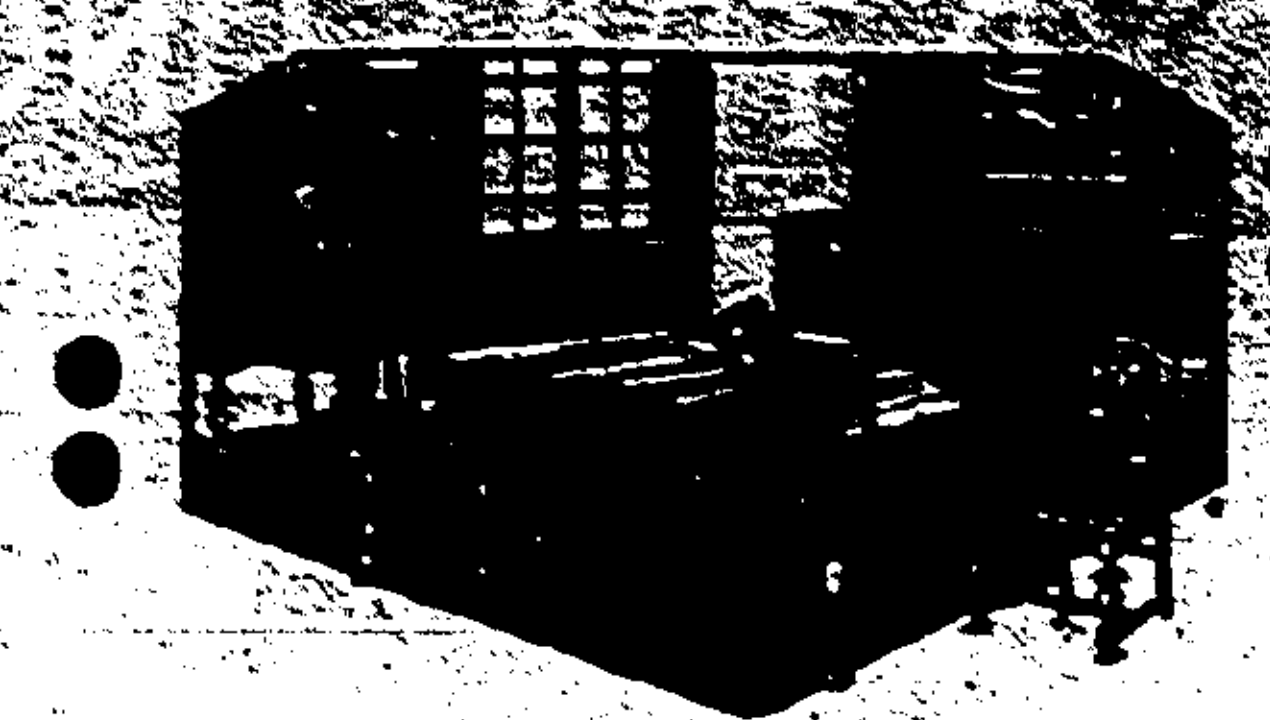
Strange, sad things, at times. He thinks, for instance, that the stars, although so plentiful and so bright, do not even manage to light up the earth. What a waste.

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EXTRA BUS SERVICE

A special extra bus service has been arranged for the convenience of the Repulse Bay Hotel patrons attending Dinner Dances on Wednesdays and Saturdays, in addition to the ordinary Time Table, as under:—

H. K. Hotel	R. B. Hotel
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HIKAWA MARU (Starts from Kobe)	Wed., 11th Dec.
HIYE MARU (Starts from Kobe)	Wednesday, 25th Dec.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM	
TERUKUNI MARU	Friday, 8th Dec.
HARUSAN MARU	Saturday, 21st Dec.
HARUNA MARU	Saturday, 4th Jan.
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KAMO MARU	Saturday, 25th Jan.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo	
TOKIWA MARU	Thursday, 28th Nov.
ANTO MARU	Wednesday, 11th Dec.
TOYAMA MARU	Saturday, 28th Dec.
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RAKUYO MARU	Tuesday, 17th Dec.
NEW YORK via Panama	Sunday, 1st Dec.
"NAKO MARU	Thursday, 19th Dec.
KIYOSUMI MARU	Thursday, 19th Dec.
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia	Sunday, 15th Dec.
"DAKAR MARU	Sunday, 15th Dec.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon	Friday, 29th Nov.
HAZODATE MARU	Friday, 8th Dec.
ELISON MARU	Sunday, 15th Dec.
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MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, DAR-ES-SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, ALGOA BAY, CAPE TOWN & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS via Singapore & Colombo	Arizona Maru ... Tues., 3rd Dec. Arabia Maru ... Thurs., 2nd Jan. 1936.
MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON & AUCKLAND direct	Sydney Maru ... Sat., 7th Dec. Brisbane Maru ... Mon., 8th Jan. 1936
BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore, Penang and Colombo	(Pacific) Maru ... Mon., 2nd Dec. Siam Maru ... Wed., 4th Dec.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Belawan, Deli, & Rangoon	Havana Maru ... Mon., 2nd Dec. Hamburg Maru ... Fri., 20th Dec.
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Amusements

Cinema Notes
"THE SCOUNDREL"—KING'S THEATRE

Noel Coward, the man responsible for "Design for Living," "Calvary" and "Private Lives," three of the most popular motion pictures, appears himself in the leading role of the new Hecht-MacArthur production, "The Scoundrel."

Coward is an actor, a playwright, a composer and is generally conceded to be the most brilliant figure of the contemporary theatre. He plays a literary Casanova in this sharp and satirical tale of decadence in the New York smart set.

He is a hollow, artificial and brilliant publisher, so accustomed to playing at love, with the unreal people who comprise his society, that he fails to comprehend the realness of Julie Haydon, a young poetess, who offers him her heart.

Coward takes her from the boy who really loves her, breaks her heart and sets her adrift in his corrupt circle. He goes on an aeroplane trip to escape one of his importunate women, and is reported killed.

While his former friends are cynically commenting on the demise, he suddenly reappears among them to pay fervent suit to Julie Haydon, the only real person he has ever known.

"IN CALIENTE"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Dolores del Rio, one of the most popular actresses when silent pictures were in vogue, makes as big a success of her part in the First National musical extravaganza, "In Caliente," at the Queen's Theatre to-day, as she ever did in any of her silent films.

In addition to Miss del Rio, who shows herself to be a very graceful dancer, the cast includes Edward Everett Horton, was extracts humour from even the flimsiest material, Glenda Farrell (not as a gold-digger) and Pat O'Brien.

O'Brien is cast as the hard-boiled editor of a New York tabloid newspaper, who in a drunken moment described Dolores as a "bag of bones." He takes a holiday in Mexico and E. E. Horton hires the dancer, whom he mistakes for an adventuress, to tone down O'Brien's affection for a pretty blonde, who is himself covets. Busby Berkeley is responsible for some beautiful dance scenes.

"THE BLACK ROOM"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

Boris Karloff, the ace bogeyman of Hollywood, brings a new type of fiend to the screen in "The Black Room." Appearing without extensive make-up, Karloff does some fine acting as the murderous Baron de Berghman. Ruling in his castle with a tyrannical hand, the Baron is hated by the peasants. The disappearance of lovely young peasant girls arouses their suspicions, and when they rise in righteous rebellion, the disappearances and consequent murders are traceable to the Baron's grisly Black Room, which is an inspired chamber of horrors, if there ever was one!

His demise, however, is finally brought about (to audiences' delight) by young Robert Allen, who portrays excellently a dashing lieutenant. When the Baron tries to win lovely Marian Marsh away from Allen, trouble starts and ends woefully for the titled head. Alluring Katherine DeMille is cast importantly as a servant girl who loves the Baron well, but not wisely. Thurston Hall, John Buckler, Henry Kolker, Frederick Vogeding, Colin Taylor, John Bleifer and Torben Meyer are included in the experienced and talented supporting cast.

"MURDER IN THE FLEET"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

Laughs and thrills blend, and excitement, romance and comedy run rampant in "Murder in the Fleet." Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new detective thriller with a warship as its locale. The story deals with murders on board a battleship, and the

STAMP COLLECTORS

By A. E. L.

It is rare nowadays to have to find a new page in our albums for a State which has not hitherto used postage stamps. The newcomer is the State of Bijawar, in the Bundel Khund, India, and the stamps bear a portrait of H.H. Maharajah Sir Sawant Singh Ju Deo. The art is native, and the typography local; five denominations have been received: 3 pies carmine, 6 pies magenta, 9 pies violet, 1 anna blue, 2 annas green.

A set of six stamps from Denmark marks the centenary of the first publication of Andersen's Fairy Tales. They are neat little stamps in a style we have come to associate with Norway's celebrity stamps, a solid ground free of frame or ornament, with all the light on the central subject. Four of the stamps bear the profile of Hans Christian Andersen (7, 15, 20, and 30 ore), while the 5 ore green shows the Swan, and the 10

ore orange the Mermaid of the stories. It is a small and inexpensive set, which I fancy will enjoy a widespread popularity. The tagline engraving and printing, and the excellent perforation are all that one could wish, and it is a relief to get a commemorative set that achieves its artistic purpose within the ordinary limits of normal stamp size.

The centenary of the founding of the University of Budapest brings a series of six stamps in two designs. Three values (6, 16, and 20 fillers) present a portrait in a panel of Cardinal Petrus Pasmany (1870-1937), celebrated as a statesman and writer, and as the founder of the original institution in Nagyszombat. The other three denominations (10, 32, and 40 fillers) bear a small reproduction of a painting in which the founder is seen signing the documents.

Italian Air Mail

The International Aeronautical Exhibition which is being held this month in Milan is the occasion for the issue of four air-mail stamps in Italy. They are in photogravure, in two designs, one showing the Fascist emblem conquering the air, and the other shows a picture of the venerable Leonardo da Vinci, with a formation of aeroplanes passing overhead.

Poland's latest 5 groszy stamp shows a view of Pieskowa Skala, near Cracow, and is the prelude to a series of scenic stamps from this country. Senhor A. Fragoso has designed a new general type for the Portuguese stamps. It depicts the Tower of Belem, with a scroll reading: "Tudo Pela Nacao," which is interpreted, "All for the nation."

Fascinating Soviet Issue

While the Soviet regime in Russia is far too prolific with new stamps, some of them strike fascinating new themes. The four stamps issued for the International Congress of Iranian Art and Archaeology have a peculiar appeal in spite of their large size. The design is derived from a silver dish of the Sassanian Dynasty, and dating from the fourth or fifth century A.D. It represents a lion hunt, and is one of the Persian treasures in the Hermitage Museum at Leningrad. A new 2 peseta stamp in the current series of Spanish stamps shows an auto-giro hovering over Seville.

In deference to the wishes of America, the British stamps of Samoa are now inscribed "Western Samoa." Instead of simply "Samoa." The correct name makes its first appearance on a new pictorial set that has been much talked of in advance.

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Landing Zone Studied

A plan for the zone which will be restricted to the use of Pan-American Airways' Clippers in Manila was recently submitted to the Bureau of Customs. The zone is located at about 140 metres south of Pier 7, opposite the Legaspi inlet. It has a radius of 170 metres.

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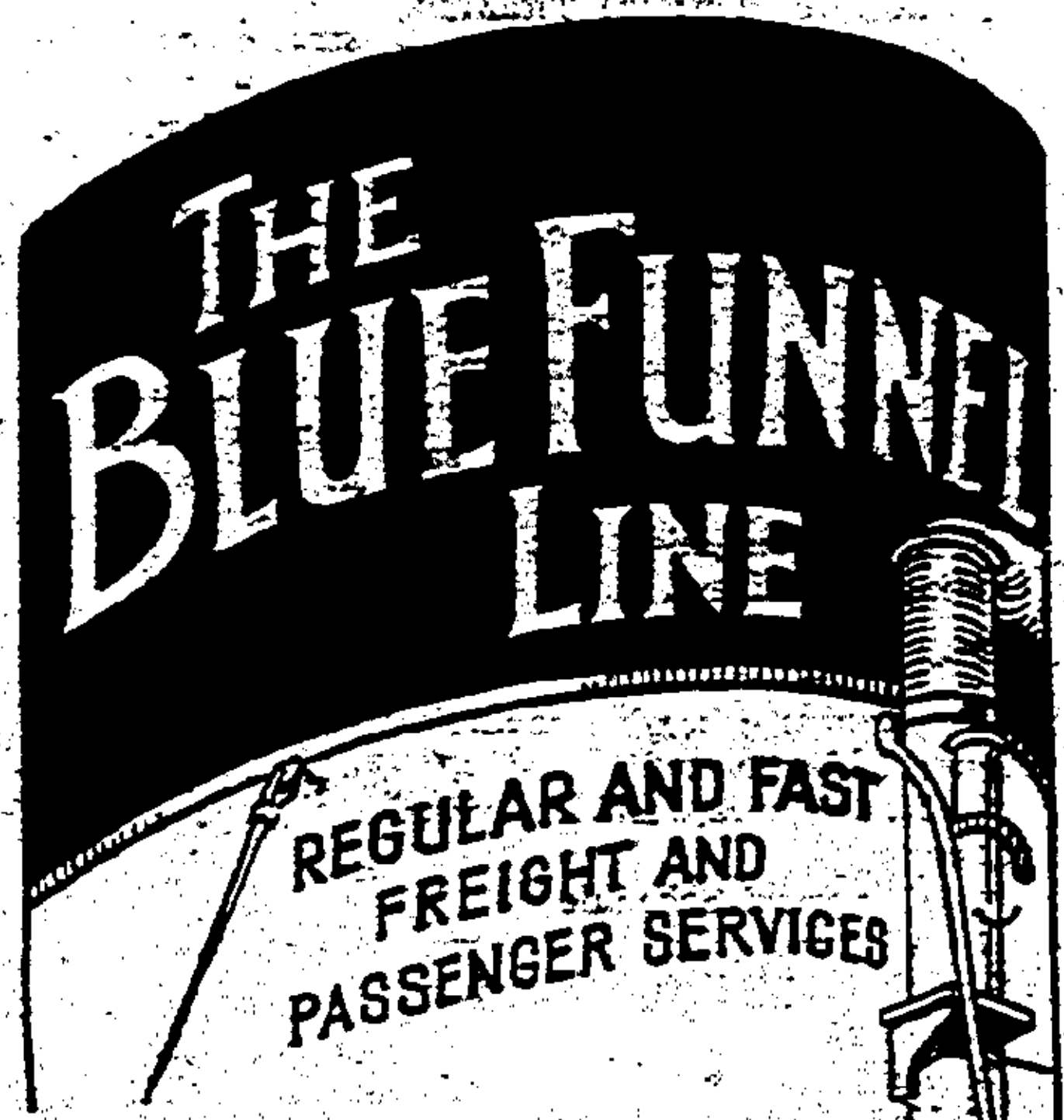
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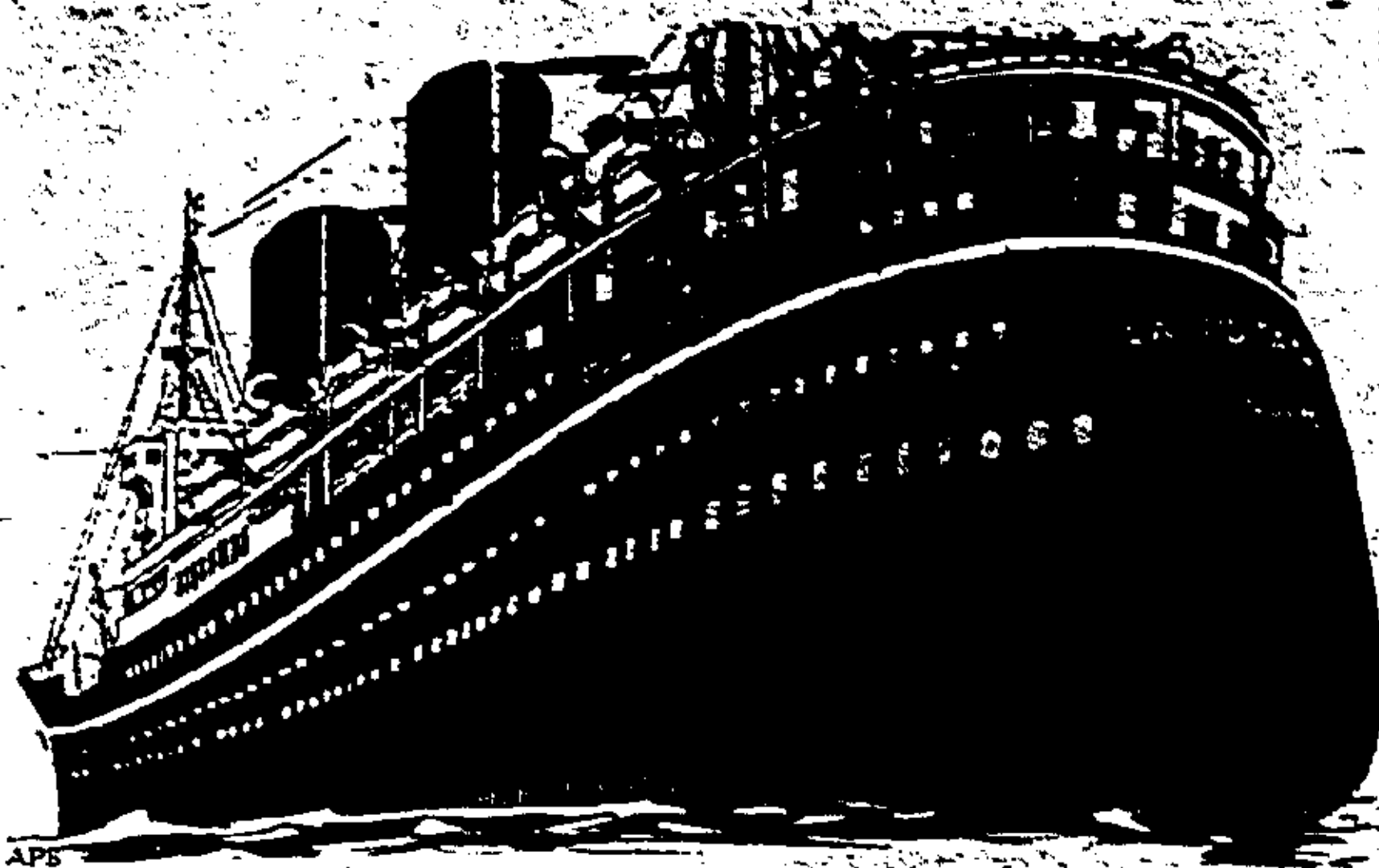
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CLAIRVOYANCE OR SECOND SIGHT

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It may not be generally believed, but I am convinced it is a fact that a large percentage of people are born with a natural gift of second-sight, but the fear of ridicule, or the lack of opportunity, has forced them to stifle the power within them. And this seems a pity, as, one of the chief values of second-sight is that of warning against danger, disaster, tragedy, and ill-health. So much trouble and tragedy can be averted by the warning sight of clairvoyance.

A Royal Child

So much tragedy has been averted. May I give an illustration? I once received a letter from a certain royal palace in Europe, from a child who was staying there with her relatives—the King and Queen of the country. Happily, gaily, the child wrote of the delightful time she was having, and all her enjoyment in the beautiful surroundings. Everything seemed couleur de rose.

Prompted by some—then inexplicable—impulse I held her letter tightly and, sitting very still, concentrated on the writer. Then suddenly before me came the vision of a ghastly spectacle of bloodshed and violence. I saw blood-stained hands outstretched—threatening, menacing. I saw the reflection of a lovely childish face. Then came again the vision of danger and death.

That very morning I implored the child's relations to send her posthaste back to England. I assured them that she would soon be in great danger, as violence was near—very near. Unwillingly they acceded to my entreaty, for although they failed to see any reason for what I said they did not doubt the truth of my second-sight.

In Safety

A few days later the child was sent home to England, in safety.

Then, quite suddenly, revolution broke out, and violence and horror surrounded the place where she had been. There came the echo of bullets, and blood stained the paths. Just as I had foreseen it all in my vision of second-sight; horror and terror raged.

And but for that vision the child would have been there in its midst.

Often in cases of unsuspected but threatening illness clairvoyance is invaluable, and over and over again I have induced an apparently healthy man or woman to seek medical aid which has discovered in time a lurking ill, and in consequence has saved a life.

But of even greater importance is second-sight in many a case of another's despair.

Round The Corner

Often a "would-be suicide" has received courage to carry on a little longer because a second-sight vision has "seen" just round the corner the unexpected good which has turned heart-break into happiness and hope.

Education, position, nationality, age, wealth, or poverty plays no part in the gift of clairvoyance.

A great ruler may be born with it, or it may be a pauper's birth-right. Money cannot buy it. Science cannot produce it.

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FORMAMINT

THE CHINA MAIL, CENTRAL HONGKONG



Edmond Gwyn is the Bishop who is also death and matchmaker in "The Bishop Misbehaves," which is coming next Tuesday to the King's Theatre. The two young people in trouble—and in love—are Maureen O'Sullivan and Norman Foster.

The Wronged Husband

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Yet what a splendid sight a star in the sky can be. He had once dreamed that he had been given the job of lighting up every star in the sky, and he had tried to use a ladder so high that he could not see the end of it, and so heavy that he could hardly hold it in his hands. What a terrible nightmare, that night, when he felt that it would have been impossible for him to reach the sky. A dream, of course, merely a dream, but how distressing and terrifying.

And how sad a lamp-lighter's job can be—he thinks. By providing light, he argues he is also creating shadows, for nothing exists without its opposite. Death follows life, and shadow is like death; following the body in all its movements. "People think I am giving them light, yet it's death which follows them when my lights begin to burn," he thinks, watching the shadows of casual passers-by from the top of his ladder.

But after all, consoled Tonio to console himself, his job is one of utmost importance because it makes a good a falling in nature, the falling of light.

He hates boasting, but isn't he for this town the substitute of sun? There are two substitutes, himself and the moon, and they take it in turns. When the moon is there he rests; when the moon rests he works. And who would deny the importance of his job when the moon should be at work but fails to appear because clouds hide her and make her fail in her duty?

How lovely it is to watch in a moonless night a distant village lit up amongst the darkness of the surrounding country.

Tonio sees many of them each night when he reaches the last lamp at the top of the hill, and stops to watch them at length, with his hands dangling from the bracket of the lamp and his head resting on a shoulder.

Similar to a multitude of glow-worms in council, those tiny lights stay on all night, watching over the houses and the streets, inspiring a feeling of fresh hope and comfort in the midst of so much darkness. Every now and then a gust of wind blows past in the dark, and all those tiny lights grouped together flicker and seem to sigh too.

Watching them from afar it looks as if all mortals, lost as they are on earth, had collected together to help and comfort each other. And yet it isn't so. If a house springs up in one place another does not spring up at its side. Like a good sister, but opposite, like an enemy, blocking its view. And men, too, do not come together in order to keep each other company, but they prefer to encamp against each other for war. All this Tonio knows well. He knows that there is war in almost every house, war amongst those who should love each other and stand together against the rest.

Isn't there war in his own home? Isn't his own wife, for instance, his worst enemy? If Tonio has taken to drink, why has he done it? Wasn't it because it helped him to forget and to ignore what was going on under his own roof?

But what is he doing? Doesn't he know that there is no paradise to fight in his lamps?

The town will have to remain in darkness. The lightning contractor has brought no action against the Council and the Council has stopped further payments, with the result that the contractor, in his turn, has refused to supply fur-

ther paraffin. Tonio has not been able to refill the lamps, he has merely gone round at dusk with his ladder trying to light them up with the little paraffin left from the previous night, but they burn for a bit and then go off with a stinking smell. The whole city is up in arms against him, as if it were his fault.

"You better go home, Tonio. Who is your wife's best friend?" about the arches. Tonio cannot stand it any longer. The uproar increases. "Leave the lamp alone; it's your wife, not the lamps, that needs watching."

And the uproar becomes worse. Tonio is furious. He leaves the main street, and still carrying his ladder round his neck, he seeks refuge in one of the narrow, climbing lanes at the back. Yet many of the crowd still follow him. He pretends not to hear them and props his ladder on a lamp-post, but they are still shouting: "Your wife, your wife, who is her best friend?" Then, when tired and downhearted, he abandons himself on the bracket of the lamp, hoping for the crowd to disperse. Someone seizes the ladder from under his feet, leaving him there, hanging in the air like a puppet.

Tears come to his eyes. What on earth do they want from him? What have his domestic troubles to do with them? Do they want him to become a murderer because to-night there isn't sufficient paraffin in the city to light up the street lamps? If this is what they want, if they really think that he should carry out a duty on which he is not keen, let them bring back the ladder, and he will show them how Tonio, the lamp-lighter, can spit open the head of his wife and of her lover.

Three or four of the crowd bring back the ladder under his feet, and Tonio, his eyes burning with revenge, is soon down in the street making for home.

"Have you the big knife, Othello?" shouts one of the crowd. "Of course I have it. Here it is."

And he shows a huge hunting-knife bulging from his pocket. "Good enough to kill a bull, I swear by the Madonna."

"And will you kill them both?" "Yes, both of them, like two pigs. Come and watch me. Follow me. Come and see."

And he hurries himself ahead, dragging heavily through the narrow, dark lanes, followed by the crowd.

"Do you really mean it, then, Othello?"

"Do you think Tonio goes back on his word? Who do you think I am? Are you frightened, then? Do you think Tonio is a coward? Come, follow me, all of you. You must see how Tonio can deal with an unfaithful wife and her lover."

And after a good shake to the man he has seized he moves again towards home. Many of the crowd, feeling uneasy and frightened, follow him a few more steps, then they gradually stay behind and quietly slip away. Only four of them and a couple of archers follow him to his home, this time no longer to watch a murder but anxious to avoid a real tragedy.

In fact, as soon as he reaches the door of his house they take him by the arms and try to persuade him to join them to a drink. But Tonio, wild with anger, pointing, fuses himself and threatens them with his knife. He kicks at the door and shouts to his wife: "Open, open the door, filthy woman, open it now. You are going to pay for all this time."

In vain those of the crowd try to keep him back.

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The Golden Text will be: "The Lord is good unto them that wait for him, to the soul that seeketh him." (Lamentations, 3:25).

Among others, the following citations from the Bible will be read: "Which of you by taking thought can add one cubit unto his stature? Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek): for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." (St. Matt. 27, 31, 32, 33).

A Clean Body. The Lesson sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"If thou hast attention given to hygiene, were given to the study of Christian Science and the Spiritualisation of thought, this alone would usher in the millennium. Constant bathing and rubbing to alter the secretions or to achieve unhealthy exhalations from the cuticle receive a useful rebuke from Jesus' precept, 'Take no thought for the body.' We need a clean body and a clean mind—a body rendered pure by mind as well as washed by water."

"One says: I take good care of my body." To do this, the pure and exalting influence of the divine Mind on the body is requisite and the Christian Scientist takes the best care of his body when he leaves it most out of his thought and like the Apostle Paul is "Willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord." (Page 382 and 383).

"Your Excellency... here, on this precipice... You might have killed yourself... Put a foot on my shoulder, your Excellency... be careful... mind you don't slip."

And turning to his wife, after landing a heavy blow on her face: "Can you imagine hiding his Excellency on that window with a risk of murdering him? Didn't you have a cleaner place to hide him? Give me a brush quickly, that I may dust off his Excellency's coat. Didn't you see that I looked everywhere except in the wall cabinet where a man can hide himself without risk of breaking his neck?—Can a woman be such an idiot?"

"Let me brush you, your Excellency. How could I have known you were there?—Fancy him hanging outside that window over the precipice. Would Your Excellency oblige me by stepping inside that wall cabinet only for a few minutes, until I run down, and keep the crowd quiet? Can't you hear them shouting? They'll ruin you. Your Excellency, get out of here. I run away. It has happened, but what else could I do? There are certain places one must perfume, even against one's own will. Another perfumes only. Your Excellency, inside that cabinet. They will soon go away."

And after having locked the Count inside the cabinet he rushes to the bedroom window opening on the street, where the crowd is still shouting.

"You fools, did you really think there was going to be a murder? The house is empty; my wife was here alone. Come up and see for yourselves if you don't believe me, but I assure you we are quite alone, my wife and myself."

(The End)

CAMPBELL BLACK RETURNS

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Capt. T. Campbell Black and Mr. J. G. McArthur, who were saved by parachutes when their aeroplane crashed in flames in the Sudan during an attempt to beat the Cape flight record, landed at Croydon airport last month. They had travelled as passengers by air from Khartoum.

Capt. Campbell Black's wife, Miss Florence Desmond, threw her arms around his neck and kissed him.

Capt. Black said that it was a "terrible few moments" getting away from the plane as it began to crash.

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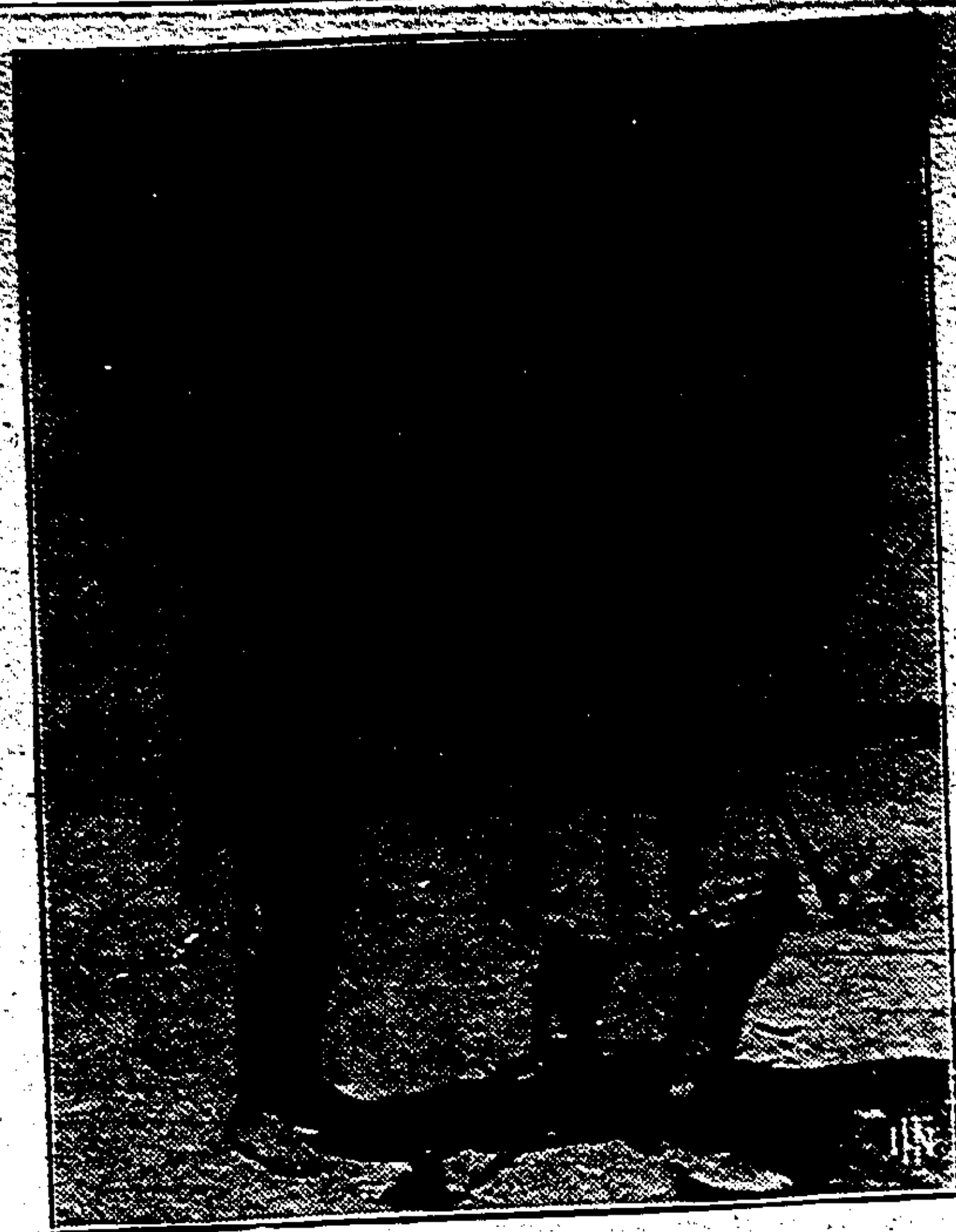
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Premier Mussolini is training schoolboys for war, and in Ethiopia they are actually in the trenches. An Ethiopian soldier is seen leaving Harar for the front with his small son serving him as porter, a common practice in Haile Selassie's embattled empire, where every person from 11 to 70 is subject to army service.

Britain's Reply To Italy

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themselves obliged to affirm that the Italian Government had had recourse to war in violation of Article XII. Strong as is the feeling of friendship towards Italy which inspires the United Kingdom, His Majesty's Government felt themselves bound to assent to this decision and accept the consequences which must inevitably ensue. His Majesty's Government do not conceal their anxiety to facilitate, so far as lies in their power as a member State of the League of Nations and at the earliest possible moment, a settlement of regrettable conflict now in progress.

IMPLICATION REFUTED
"But they are unable wholly to pass over the implication contained in the last paragraph of Your Excellency's note" under reply, which refers to the "free and sovereign judgment" which His Majesty's Government are alleged to be at liberty to apply to the determination of their course of action. His Majesty's Government, in subscribing to the Covenant, did not indeed abandon or renounce their own free and sovereign judgment, but undertook to exercise it henceforth in accordance with the obligations of that instrument. No other attitude is open to them, and they would naturally desire to see the Italian Government place a similar construction on their own action to the Covenant."

OIL SUPPLIES TO ITALY
Senhor Vasconcellos, the Portuguese delegate to the League of Nations and President of the Committee of Eighteen, has arranged for the committee of experts, who are to study the working of the measures proposed by the Co-operation Committee and put into execution on November 18, to meet at Geneva next Wednesday. The experts may be in a position to report to the Committee of Eighteen, which has been called together for later in the week, when it is understood that it will discuss the further possibility of making additions to

the list of key products, the export of which to Italy is prohibited by the Covenant-enforcing States.

One of the products in question is petroleum, and the action of the League States may be facilitated by the independent initiative of the United States Secretary of the Interior, who is reported to have urged oil companies in the United States voluntarily to curtail shipments to the belligerents in order to comply, in spirit no less than in letter, with the Neutrality Act.—British Wireless Service.

1,000,000 MILES AT SEA
Channel Captain's Fine Record
London.
A man who has steamed over a million miles of sea and has travelled round the world five times under sail has just retired from his seafaring career.

He is Captain F. W. Holt, commander of the Southampton fleet of the Southern Railway Company. In 40 years at sea, he has steamed over a million miles; travelled round the world five times under sail in his apprenticeship days.

Made over 100 crossings of the Atlantic; and crossed the English Channel between 7,000 and 8,000 times.

Unscathed
During the War, he ran across the Channel almost every night between Southampton and Havre, with troops or civilian passengers and mails.

He escaped being torpedoed or mined times without number, and, though he saw many ships sunk at sea, he passed unscathed through all dangers.—Reuter.

SEARCH FOR "SMITH"
London, To-day.—The hopes for the discovery of the lost Australian airman, Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, aroused by reports that a ship off at their own risk, the freighter the west coast of Siam had Oregon, has sailed for Italian seen flares on Sayes Island have, Somaliland with a cargo of 30,000 not so far been substantiated, drums of aviation petrol. It carried an air liner from Singapore is said to have refused to sail, at now searching the island from its having refused to sail, at which the signals were seen.—Reuter.

NEW LAWS FOR YUGOSLAVIA
"Suppression of Corruption"

Belgrade.
Among the numerous new laws which the Stojadinovich Cabinet is preparing to bring before Parliament in its Autumn session is a "Law for the Suppression of Corruption."

This is said to be so strict that it will mean the complete removal of all corruption in the civil service and will make active Ministers responsible for any corruption occurring in their Ministries.

The other laws now ready to be examined by the Cabinet preparatory to being brought before Parliament include laws dealing with the press, election law, rights of meeting, and the formation of political parties.

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BERLIN SHARE MARKET

SMART RECOVERY EXPERIENCED

—CHINA MAIL—SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day.
The share market experienced a smart recovery yesterday, largely because prices have now reached a level at which normal dividends promise a more equitable return on invested capital, and partly because of the improved outlook for German industry, for instance, owing to the substantial increases in the State's revenues from taxation from April to October and also to the reports of the dangers of a general strike in the English coal mines.

Fixed interest securities continued quiet, gold mortgage bonds tending to be lower. Call money was at 2½ per cent.—Trans-Ocean Service.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS
Berlin, To-day.—Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee) yesterday were: New York, 40.24; Paris, 610.52; Amsterdam, 59.25; and London, 12.24. The Paris sterling quotation was 74.9-75, and the dollar, 15.18½-15.19½.—Trans-Ocean Service.

WOODED ACROSS THE WORLD
Chinese Girl's Romance

Liverpool.
Courtied by correspondence across the world, a Chinese girl of 19 has travelled 10,000 miles here to be married to a Chinese laundryman.

She is Moy Toy from a village near Canton, and her bridegroom is Low Quong.

Their parents live in the same village in China and for years they have watched a romance growing through the inspiration of exchanged letters. Finally the young couple decided to join each other and have now been married here at the Chinese Consulate.—Reuter.

BRITISH CABINET CHANGES
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The most interesting suggestion concerning the exchange of offices is that Mr. Baldwin is endeavouring to settle the differences with the Irish Free State, on which Mr. Thomas was invariably most uncompromising, and there was little hope of any accommodation with Mr. de Valera so long as Mr. Thomas occupied the Dominions Office, whereas Mr. Malcolm MacDonald is regarded as more likely to bring about an agreement.—Reuter.

BRITAIN'S REPLY TO ITALY
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The claim that Britain is only fulfilling her duties under the Covenant is greeted with impatience. Italians ask why in that case does Britain allow Japan to nibble off bits of China.

AVIATION PETROL FROM U.S.
San Pedro.—Despite Mr. Cordell Hull's warning that the crews of war Kingsford-Smith, aroused by reports that a ship off at their own risk, the freighter the west coast of Siam had Oregon, has sailed for Italian seen flares on Sayes Island have, Somaliland with a cargo of 30,000 not so far been substantiated, drums of aviation petrol. It carried an air liner from Singapore is said to have refused to sail, at now searching the island from its having refused to sail, at which the signals were seen.—Reuter.

Election Candidate Passes
London, To-day.—Mr. Noel Skelton, Under-Secretary for Scotland, died at Edinburgh yesterday morning at the age of 55.

Mr. Skelton was one of the Conservative candidates for the Scottish Combined Universities, which is returning three members and which is the only constituency in which the result of the election is not yet known. His death will be a loss to the party, and it is understood that Mr. Skelton was a strong supporter of the party's policy.

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